

## STILL INSIST TROOPS ONLY MAKING PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION AS YET AT MEXICAN FRONTIER

DESPITE THIS FACT ALL PREPARATIONS INCLUDING PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPPING ARMY TRANSPORTS ARE BEING RUSHED BY ARMY AND NAVAL AUTHORITIES.

### DIAZ REPORTED AS DYING

Activity of the War Department Shown in Arming Men With Two Hundred Rounds of Ammunition For Actual Warfare—Mules Ordered Purchased in Large Numbers As Before the Spanish War.

Washington, March 8.—Army and Navy men of experience are laughing today at the "war game" excuse given by the War Department Tuesday for the mobilization of one fourth of the standing army on the Mexican frontier.

They point out the following significant facts:

Two hundred rounds of ball ammunition issued per man.

All leaves of absence suspended.

Unprecedented haste and secrecy in preparing for the maneuvers.

No Congressional appropriation for maneuvers available.

Quartermasters and commissary officers ordered to buy supplies without time limit.

Sudden return of Mexican Ambassador from New York to Washington.

The Coast artillery drawn upon to reinforce the infantry regiments.

Army transports long unused and built for sea duty ordered into commission.

President Diaz reported in serious condition with death imminent at any moment.

Persistent reports that England and Germany have abandoned American intervention in the Mexican revolution.

That American interests in Mexico now amount to over a billion dollars.

That the government has ordered porton bridges to be shipped to the Mexican frontier at once.

The movement of the troops to the southern frontier is proceeding satisfactorily according to statement at headquarters. Practically the entire force of 20,000 men are now en route to the border.

The troops are equipped with ball cartridges, although it is inevitable the practice supply them with blank ammunition for peaceful maneuvers.

However the officials at Washington still maintain the movement are merely the plan to determine the efficiency of the army in mobilizing and concentrating on short notice.

The combined protest of Wall Street, England and Germany over the destruction of railroads and the stopping of development of the vast mining interests in Mexico, and the illness of President Diaz were today declared at revolutionary headquarters here the cause for mobilizing American troops on the Mexican frontier.

Minister of Finance Lamouroux of Mexico was today urged by President Taft to come to Washington for a conference on the Mexican situation.

Leave Fort Snelling.

St. Paul, Minn., March 8.—Troops will be leaving Fort Snelling tonight.

Pacific Fleet.

San Diego, Cal., March 8.—Authoritative reports say eight vessels of the Pacific fleet under Commander (Rear Admiral) William S. Benson will sail tonight at six o'clock for Salina Cruz, Mexico.

Prairie on Way.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 8.—The transport Prairie left the League Island navy yard with 700 marines for Guantanamo, Cuba, at four o'clock this afternoon.

To Buy Mules.

St. Louis, March 8.—The order to buy 500 mules at once for army use has been received by the quartermaster here.

Latest Theory.

That the Mexican frontier demonstration may serve as a warning to Japan against forming closer relations with Mexico in order to strike at this country from the south was one phase of the situation which developed today.

Rush Troops.

Denver, March 8.—The entire garrison at Ft. Russell at Cheyenne, Wyo., twenty-five hundred men will rush at once to the border under orders today. Over three hundred railroad coaches will be required to move them.

England's Part.

London, England, March 8.—It is rumored here today that the English foreign office has notified the state department that unless British interests in the Mexican revolution were protected England might take a hand in the trouble.

First Naval Detachment.

New York, March 8.—The first naval detachment to get away for the Texas coast was the ship Lebanon, which put to sea this morning.

Marines Ready.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 8.—Seven hundred marines fully equipped for any service will sail south from the League Island navy yard late this afternoon on the transport Prairie and will be followed by a like number tomorrow on the transport Dixie.

No Instructions.

London, March 8.—This evening the foreign office authorized the announcement that no instructions of any kind had been sent Ambassador Bryce at Washington from London in regards to the events in Mexico.

## PROMOTERS OF THE SOUTH GATHER IN CITY OF ATLANTA

Great Assembly of Representative Men of the South at the Southern Commercial Congress.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

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## APPOINTMENTS WERE CONFIRMED TODAY

All of Governor McGovern's Appointments Made Yesterday Were Unanimously Confirmed by Senate.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Madison, March 8.—The senate today confirmed the appointments of Gov. McGovern made yesterday to the state board of control, civil service commission, state board of health and J. Q. Emery, state dairy and food commissioner. All the appointments were confirmed by unanimous vote except that Senator Wright voted against the confirmation of Ralph Smith of Morris board of control, and Senators Sherry, Randolph, Tensdale and Wright who voted against the confirmation of Rev. Woodward, both appointed to the state board of control.

## STRUGGLE ENDS AS LAW IS UNDERSTOOD

Railroads Abandon the Proposed Increase of Freight Rates Today.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Washington, March 8.—The great struggle between railroads and shippers over proposed freight rate increases ended today when the Pennsylvania railroad cancelled all rate advances, and the New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio and the Erie roads promised to follow suit in the next few days.

## TWO SUSPECTS WERE ARRESTED IN CASE

Michigan Men Lately Returned From the West Said to Be Implicated in Train Robbery.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Detroit, Mich., March 8.—The Southern Pacific hold-up near Ogden, Utah, January 2, is said to be closely connected with the arrest yesterday of Victor C. Cline and Bryan O'Brien of Chicago. They are said to have returned recently from Salt Lake City. Both declare they are innocent.

## FIND MISSING BODY IN THE ICE GORGE

Corpses of La Crosse Man Who Was Drowned Last November Discovered Today.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

La Crosse, March 8.—The body of Christian Bauer, aged 51, who met death in the rapid waters of the Root river on November 2, last, was found in an ice gorge of the Mississippi river one mile above Brownsville, Minn., by Combs Williams of the latter village, today.

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## PINCHOT PLEASED WITH FISHER AS NEW SECRETARY

Former Chief Forester Says Ballinger's Resignation Satisfies Majority of People in United States.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

New York, March 8.—Before sailing for a vacation trip abroad today, Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester, highly praised the appointment of Walter L. Fisher as secretary of the Interior to succeed Richard A. Ballinger. "Ballinger's resignation," he said, "was inevitable and will be received with general satisfaction."

## ROOSEVELT OFF ON HIS LATEST "SWING"

Leaves New York for His Swing Around the Southern and Northwestern Circuit.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

New York, March 8.—Accompanied only by his secretary, Col. Roosevelt started for another "swing around the circle," which will take him through the south and then into the northwest, returning to New York on April 16.

## METHODIST PASTOR MADE STRONG TALK

Says It Cost Interest a Fortune to Retain Lorimer in the Senate.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Elgin, Ill., March 8.—The statement of Rev. Williams, pastor of the First Methodist church, before a huge audience here last night that "it cost interest a fortune to keep William Lorimer in the senate" has created wide comment throughout the state today.

## EIGHT JURORS WERE SELECTED IN TRIAL

Woman Charged With Having Murdered Her Little Son Causes Authorities Much Trouble.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Albany, N. Y., March 8.—Eight jurors had been secured at noon today to hear the case of Mrs. Edith Melber, the alleged murderer of her five year old son on the outskirts of Albany.

## BRYAN MAKES PUBLIC HIS PERSONAL VIEWS

Lincoln, Neb., March 8.—"William Lorimer holds his seat by a vote that damns him," declared William J. Bryan in a Commonsense editorial today.

## NOTED DIVINE DIES TODAY AFTER A BRIEF ILLNESS

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Band du Lac, March 8.—Stov. L. E. Emment, aged 60, trustee of the Northwestern university at Naperville, Ill., and secretary of the Wisconsin conference of the Evangelical association and former presiding elder at Oshkosh and Portage of the German Evangelical church, died suddenly last night, having been stricken on the preceding day. The funeral will be held tomorrow and interment will be at Heleusville, Wis.

## DEMONSTRATION OF AN AUTOMATIC GUN

Assemblyman Harper of Madison Argues in Favor of Law Prohibiting Its Use.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Madison, March 8.—Armed with an automatic shotgun minus the ammunition, however—Assemblyman C. H. Harper of Madison last night at a joint hearing in the assembly chamber presented a strenuous argument in behalf of his measure to prevent the use of automatic shotguns. He demonstrated how easy it is to slaughter more game than is necessary with this type of gun.

## BAGGAGE SOLD TO PAY HOTEL BILLS

Trunks and Other Property of Mrs. Howard Could Be Auctioned Off For Debt.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

New York, March 8.—Twenty-two trunks and numerous traveling cases and hat boxes left by Mrs. Katharine Clemons Gould at the Hotel St. Regis in New York City today were sold at auction to pay her hotel bills.

## TAKE TESTIMONY IN GOVERNMENT SUIT

Action of Government To Dissolve the Great Lakes Company Was Started Today.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Buffalo, N. Y., March 8.—Taking of testimony in the government suit to dissolve the Great Lakes Towing Company, begun before the master in chancery today.

## FACES JURY ON THE CHARGES BROUGHT

Kentucky Doctor Said To Have Led the Night Riders in Their Raids.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 8.—Dr. David A. Amos, Caldwell county physician today faced a jury in the Christian county court on the charge of leading night riders raids on Hopkinsville, Dec. 6, 1907. It is thought no violence will be attempted.

## RUEF'S FOURTEEN YEAR SENTENCE BEGAN TODAY

San Francisco Boudler Will Be Given a Job in the Jute Mill Where Work Is Hard.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

San Francisco, Cal., March 8.—The deposed political boss of San Francisco, Alvin Karpis, given a sentence of fourteen years for bribery, started serving his term today. He will be given a job in the jute mill where the work is hard.

## POLICE SEEK YOUNG WOMAN'S ASSAILANT

Portage Authorities Searching for Person Who Attacked and Robbed Milwaukee Young Woman.

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

Portage, Wis., March 8.—While a young woman suffering several broken ribs and internal injuries is fighting for her life in the local hospital today, the authorities are searching for her assailant. The young woman, who registered at a local hotel as "Miss E. T. Massey of Milwaukee," is not a stranger here. A breach of promise suit against a well known local man is said to be pending. The authorities, however, think robbery was the motive for her assault, for a large sum of money which she is known to have carried is missing. She is yet unconscious.

## CHICAGO BUILDERS ORDERED TO STRIKE

Ten Thousand Men Were Ordered To Stop Work in Chicago Today.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Chicago, Ill., March 8.—10,000 men in the building trades were ordered on a strike today.

## MARKET IMPROVING AFTER BAD OPENING

(BY UNITED PRESS.)

New York, March 8.—Although a weak tone prevailed on the market today, the recessions were without importance and at the end of fifteen minutes the tone became firm.

## TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, March 8.

Cattle receipts, 18,000.

Market, steady.

Hog receipts, 37,000.

Market, slow.

Light, 6.85¢-7.20¢.

Heavy, 6.40¢-7.75¢.

Pigs, 6.00¢-7.05¢.

Rough, 6.00¢-6.75¢.

Sheep receipts, 21,000.

Market, steady.

Western, 3.50¢-4.80¢.

Natives, 3.00¢-4.80¢.

Lamb, 5.00¢-6.00¢.

Wheat.

May—Opening, 90 3/4; high, 91; low, 90 1/4; closing, 91.

July—Opening, 88 3/4; high, 89; low, 88 1/4; closing, 89.

Rye.

Closing—55 1/2¢-6¢.

Oats.

May—48 1/2¢.

July—49 1/2¢.

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkeys—dressed, 19.

Hens—live, 11.

Hens—dressed, 11 1/2¢-15¢.

Springs—dressed, 15¢-15 1/2¢.

Butter.

Creamery—26.

Dairy—21.

Eggs.

Eggs—17 1/2¢.



## LINK AND PIN.

The Chicago and Northwestern.  
MYSTERY OF ROUNDHOUSE  
WAS SCHNEIDER LOST OR  
WAS HE KIDNAPPED?

The Yellow Dog Mascot Had To Be  
Rescued From The St. Paul Round-  
house and Brought Back.

It is seldom that the ordinary quiet at the roundhouse is disturbed by a mysterious occurrence, but the reason for the disappearance of the yellow dog, Schneider, is a cause for much speculation. The fact that he is back safe and sound does not solve the mystery, for Schneider was found wandering about the St. Paul shops. It is the belief of some that the employees of the rival institution were jealous and of the canine specimen and kidnapped the same. However, Morris Smith came to the rescue and saw to it that Dennis Courtney traveled to the place where Schneider was held captive and brought him safely back. He was welcomed back with much joy as he does much to relieve the monotony.

TRAIN ALWAYS LATE  
ARRIVED ACCORDING  
TO SCHEDULE YESTERDAY

Number 582 and 589, With New Engine  
Crew, Was Able To Make Run  
Without Being Late.

Train number 582 and 589, known more familiarly as the Harrington turnaround, arrived at South Janesville on schedule this morning, which was an occurrence entirely unprecedented in the late months of the railroad on that run. The fact of the matter was that the engine was equipped with a new engine crew who proudly proclaimed their superiority upon reaching their destination here exactly as scheduled instead of being several hours late which has been the case since the run was put on last fall. The heroes of the occasion were Engineer Wilson and Fireman Urru. Breakman John O'Brien was especially jubilant. The reason for the former delays, it is alleged, was the fact that the fireman couldn't keep the pointer at the two o'clock mark.

TWENTY-FIVE TRACTION  
ENGINES PASSED THROUGH  
HERE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

The train carrying the twenty-five traction engines consigned by the M. Rumley Company of La Porte, Ind., to points in Manitoba, passed through here yesterday afternoon as scheduled. A considerable crowd of spectators were gathered at the depot to see the sight and to enjoy the strains of the calliope. They were disappointed in the latter, however, as no whistles were blown, but abundant signs and posters of large dimensions added to the attraction. All of the twenty-five engines were old burners and will be used for farm work in Canadian country.

Howard Walker, machinist, is laying off on account of sickness.

Dispatcher Jack Leo was taken sick this morning at nine o'clock with an ulcerated tooth and was relieved by M. A. Crowley.

Engine 1153 was brought to the local roundhouse from Belvidere for storage.

Runs 583 and 581 between here and Chicago, are built for two engines and two firemen.

The freight extra between Janesville and Harvard is built for an engineer and fireman.

Night yard master Groogan resumed his work last night and Switchman Clough who had relieved him, took his former position with the seven o'clock switch engine.

Switchman H. Byrne acted as bill clerk at the yards last night.

Conductor Anderson of the shop car is in Chicago today.

Switchman O. Churchill was in Chicago yesterday and T. Goodman relieved him.

Fireman W. Coen is confined to his home at Shopper's with an attack of the mumps.

W. W. Hoffman, foreman of the round house, and E. G. Lawson, head machinist, went to Harvard this morning to install the new air motor on the Harvard turn-table.

Carl Palmer, machinist, was a visitor at the local yards yesterday.

Edward Hanclough, night machinist, was off last night.

William Sullivan, machinist's helper, is laying off today.

P. W. Peterman, master mechanic of the Wisconsin division, was a visitor at the local yards yesterday.

Repairs are being rushed on Engine 751 of the Wisconsin Division.

Fireman Roy Wilkins is firing the stationary boiler nights in place of Joseph Zantopoli, who is laying off on account of sickness.

Thomas Goodman is tending the belt line switches.

A new electric air light has been received and will be installed in place of the present which is discarded on account of its feeble rays.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.  
MACHINISTS' TIME OF LABOR  
HAS BEEN SOMEWHAT REDUCED

Will Work Only Eight Hours A Day  
Five Days in the Week Until  
Further Ordered.

A new schedule of working hours has been arranged for the machinists, boiler-makers and blacksmiths and their helpers so that there will be only eight hours of work a day and only five days in the week. None of these men affected will report for work on Sunday unless called or notified, except those who will work as their turn comes. The days when each man will not work are posted and men are instructed to net accordingly. This new arrangement affects fifteen men and is part of the scheme of the road to cut down expenses. It is thought. Work is at present very dull and these men are needed not all the time.

Engineer Hildus and Fireman Martin went out on extra at eleven o'clock this morning.

Engineer Smith and Fireman Mahoney went out on run 61 at 7:30 this morning.

MILTON DEFEATED  
ALBION ACADEMY

High School Was Successful In Taking Game From Old Rivals at College Gymnasium Last Night.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Milton, March 8.—The Milton high school basketball team won its most brilliant victory of the season last night in the college "gym" when they defeated their old rivals, Albion academy, by the score of 37 to 15. The Milton team excelled in every point of the game and their team work was the best of the season. Burdick was the best man, making 12 points during the game. Larson was the best man for Albion, making 11 points. Summary of game:  
Milton: Milbar, 11; Jordan, 15; Freeborn, 5; Shumway, 11; Burdick, 11.  
Albion: Larson, 11; Green, 15; Maset, 10; Norby, 11; Ellington, 11. Free throws: Jordan, 5; Maset 1; Ellington, 1. Field goals: Milbar 2; Jordan, 3; Shumway, 5; Burdick, 6; Larson, 2; Maset, 3; Norby, 1. Fouls: Milton, 7; Albion, 5.  
Referee: "Stub" Davis.

## THREE-LEGGED CALF



The above picture of the three-legged calf born on the farm of Robert A. Whitely, October 25th, last, was taken for The Gazette by P. H. Parker. Mr. Ashton's farm, which is three miles from the city on the Emerald Grove road, has been the center of a curious lot of visitors to whom the calf with its three legs is a source of amusement and wonder. The beastie appears to be normal in every other way except its lack of one front leg and hops around most gracefully apparently not seriously inconvenienced. It enjoys good health and will probably grow to maturity if permitted to live by its own.

BUYS FINE HOME ON  
NORTH SHORE DRIVE

Edward M. Hyzer, former Janesville Resident, Has Purchased Valuable Property in Chicago.

Edward M. Hyzer, general counsel of the North-Western railroad, and a former Janesville resident, has closed the purchase of one of the finest residences on the north shore at Chicago, the Oscar Daniels house in Glenview. Mr. Daniels is a resident of Summit, N. J. The residence is located between the Skokie golf links and Bluff street and the Smith and Crosby places and includes two acres of land. It is a spacious ten room residence of plaster and stucco and was sold for \$21,500, subject to an incumbrance of \$10,000.

FINAL RESULTS IN THE  
INTERMEDIATE CONTEST

Last Event Was Held Last Evening and Was Won By A. Burdick

The final event in the February contest for the Intermediate was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. There were some twenty contestants who were entered in the ring and the results were: A. Burdick, 9 ft. 5 1/2 in.; N. Fulton, 7 ft. 1 1/2 in.; Hermann, 11; Reiser, and P. Winslow, 7 ft. 7 1/2 in.

The total scores in the February contest of the sixteen best all round athletes were: Winslow, 341; Burdick, 330; Don Stuart, 321; Simpson, 272; Moore, 269; Saeger, 261; Hermann, 240; Cannon, 231; Mills, 221; L. Buart, 223; Barnes, 222; Bailey, 220; Rooser, 220; Snyder, 209; McVicar, 208.

Standing of Intermediate team at present: Burdick's, 5342; Henningson, 4619; Metenif, 2891; Cleveland's, 2267.

Proper Proportions.  
"How much fuel do you compute we shall need on our motor trip?" "Well, suppose we say two gallons of gasoline and three gallons of Scotch."—Outing.

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Motion Pictures

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MAJESTIC  
THEATRE

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## THE MORAL.

Come, listen to my tale, young maids,  
And read the moral true;  
For what happened to the girl in it  
May also hap to you.  
One was a wise and prudent girl,  
Who studied things of life  
In serious ways and womanly;  
Just model for a wife.

She did not idle pleasures choose,  
But learned to cook and sew;  
All household arts she did acquire,  
Turned back on folk's show,  
And love of dress and vanities;  
She never cared to roam,  
But bent all thought and energy  
To make a happy home.

The other was a bare-brained flirt,  
All curls and frills and whim,  
Extravagant, averse to work,  
Who laughed at all things trim.  
Who pleasure loved, dress just adored,  
All idle fancies nursed;  
(Now comes the moral of my tale);  
'Twas she got married first!

## Truth Will Out.

Being called to his feet unexpectedly at the gathering and asked to respond informally to the toast, "The Ladies," Mr. Giffers hemmed and hawed and began:  
"My friends, all that I am, all that I have in the world, I owe to a woman—my wife."

Here he was interrupted by that lady herself, who arose and said:  
"I told you, when you put that property in my name, you'd give it away first time you opened your mouth."—Judge.

## Doing a Man's Work.

Mandy (serenely)—Mose Johnson, neeph' you ain't good for nuffin' else, 'specially 'yo' go 'long down an' loc' de now head' o' aldermen! — Brooklyn Life.

## Cure for Pneumonia.

This remedy has been known to cure pneumonia after the patient had been given up to die. Apply sweet oil to the chest, then cover thickly with powdered lobelia, after which cover with several thicknesses of warmed flannel.

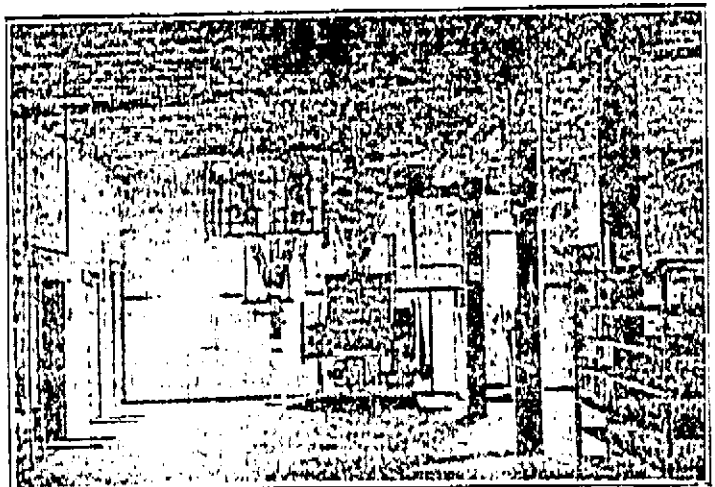
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2 Nights and Special School Children's Matinee.

Wednesday & Thursday, March 15, 16.  
Matinee Thursday at 4 P. M.  
LYMAN H. HOWE'S TRAVEL FESTIVAL.

Ride in a Dirigible Balloon; Building and launching the largest ship in the world—The White Star liner "Olympic"; Dynamiting the Island of Messina; Living London; Indo-China; Motor Boat Races; Dissolving Portraits of Famous Americans; 20 others. Prices: Evening, 50c, 35c, 25c; matinee children 15c, adults 25c. Seats on sale Thursday, March 9.

Dough Mixing Room in  
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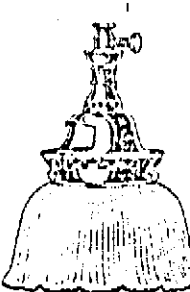
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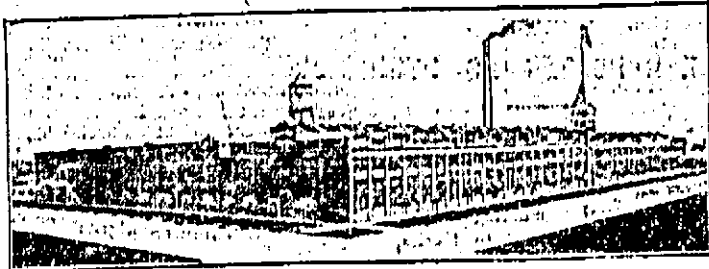
Because they are purest, richest and most scientifically made confections possible to make. The centers of "liquid" cream, will melt in your mouth.

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ZION LACES and many interesting features in their manufacture are on exhibition in one of our show windows. This display is educational and every person should see it.

From 3,400 to 4,500 bobbins are required to thread one lace machine, besides the beam and warp, making a total—when the machine is threaded—of 13,000 threads in actual work. When a machine is fully threaded there are 6,700 miles of cotton on it, enough to reach from here to England and nearly back again.

See the illustrations of the various machines in operation—where they take in the thread and turn out the dainty, attractive laces—also skeins of yarns, yarn spools—pieces of lace just as they come from the machines. Especially interesting is the process of clipping, scalloping and separating. The exhibit is so unique and the values so unusual that a visit will be of material interest to you.

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The Store for YOU

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On Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Etc.

Our stock offers its greatest selections right now. The reduced prices warrant your buying in advance. If you are going to need Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, etc., be sure to investigate this sale.

## NOTE THESE BARGAINS

Regular 25c Ingrain Carpet, Discount Price, yard, . . . 18c  
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Regular 50c Wool Filled Ingrain Carpet, Discount Price, yard, . . . 34c

Regular 60c Tapestry Brussel Carpet, Discount Price, yard, . . . 45c

Regular 75c Tapestry Brussel Carpet, discount Price, yard, . . . 63c

Regular \$1.00 Velvet Carpet, Discount Price, yd, . . . 77c

Regular \$1.50 Tapestry Brussel Seamless Rug, 9x12, Discount Price, . . . \$12.50

Regular \$15.00 Velvet Rug, 9x11, Discount Price, . . . \$12.50

Regular \$22.50 Axminster Rug, 8-3x10-6, Discount Price, . . . \$16.85

Regular \$30.00 Axminster Rug, 9x12, discount price, \$22.50

Regular \$35.00 best Wilton Rugs, 9x12, Discount Price, . . . \$25.00

Regular \$1.50 Velvet Rugs, 27x54, Discount Price, . . . \$1.12 1/2

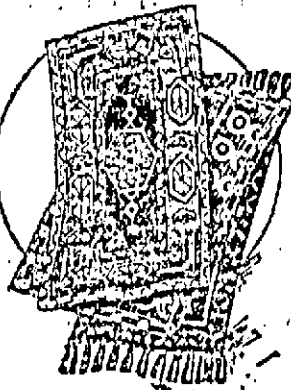
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ville Post Cards, 5 for 5c.  
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After Thursday, March 9,  
Mrs. Rogers, palmist and  
psychic, now at Park Hotel,  
will be located at 914  
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reading will be given to  
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Hours till 8:00 p. m.

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Satisfactory merchandise—careful  
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Would you give morphine or chloro-  
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Of course not. Yet most patent  
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Cough Balsam is made by Mr. Pfennig,  
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ukee and River streets.



## BODY FOUND HANGING FROM BARN RAFTER

V. Pehl, Aged Twenty, of Spring Grove Township in Green County, Took Life With His Own Hand.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Brookfield, March 8.—The body of "Vonie" Pehl, the 20 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. August Pehl, was found on Monday hanging by the neck from a rafter in the barn at their home in Spring Grove. The cause of the deed is not known although several causes are given. He was a quiet, industrious boy of good reputation and his sad ending is a terrible shock to the family and friends.

**Club Meeting.**  
Mrs. Kate of Monroe visited Brookfield on Tuesday and spoke at a gathering of Women's clubs in the W. R. C. rooms on the subject of "Federation." Mrs. Josie Weirick, also of Monroe, gave an address, as did others of the Brookfield societies. Mrs. Kate is president of the district and Mrs. Weirick of the Monroe clubs. A picnic dinner was served and a most pleasant and profitable time is reported by all.

**Personal.**  
Sweeney Everson went to Janesville Tuesday morning where he will undergo an operation in Mercy hospital. Mrs. A. R. Skinner left Tuesday morning for Roman, Montana, to visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Broughton. Mrs. W. D. Day was a passenger to Janesville on Tuesday.

Maria Hartman went to Madison on Tuesday for a short stay.

George St. John was a visitor in Mineral Point on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Olson and family are moving into Mrs. A. A. Walen's residence on Thoman street.

St. Blake is reported as very sick. Mrs. W. S. Pauley was taken to Janesville on Tuesday afternoon where she will undergo an operation.

**CLINTON.**  
Clinton, March 8.—Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Olson of Union Grove, Wis., are visiting their son, Fred, and wife.

Benjamin Buckley has moved his household goods from Highland Center to his father's home here.

Master William Luther had a very painful operation performed Sunday. The little fellow is doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. A. Woodard, Jr., of Allen Grove came over Saturday night expecting to find her mother, Mrs. Ira Hastings, who with her son, Paul, did not arrive from Aberdeen, South Dakota until Monday noon. Mrs. Woodard returned home Tuesday noon.

O. L. Woodward was taken sick yesterday and was unable to be at the store.

The village board at its regular meeting Monday night voted to reopen the C. G. Hawley revocation of license case, and served notice of a hearing next Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. J. L. Simons of Harvard visited her parents here Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Seaman's Sunday school class met with her last night for a social evening and to organize the class by electing regular officers.

A. P. Kreuger and family have moved into their home on School street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Terwilliger and daughter, Mrs. O'Connell, and Mrs. A. W. Miller went to Janesville yesterday by auto.

Doctor and Mrs. C. W. Collier and daughter, Clara, and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McKinney motored to Holoit last night to a college entertainment.

P. A. Bird was in Holoit yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Kelley of Holoit spent Sunday and Monday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Graves.

The Citizens' Lecture Course association will have their annual business meeting Friday evening at Remmer & Hawley's office. Election of officers and arrangements for next year's course will be determined. Every holder of an adult season ticket is a member of the association and a large attendance is desired.

Parley Johnson returned from West

## MARRIED AT TWO THIS AFTERNOON

Miss Alma Radentz of the Town of Fulton Married At Edgerton Lutheran Church.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Edgerton, March 8.—This afternoon at two o'clock, at the German Lutheran church, occurred the marriage of Miss Alma Radentz and Frank Letz both of the town of Fulton. Rev. J. C. Spillman performed the ceremony in the presence of near relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties. The couple were attended by Miss Martha Dorow and William Radentz. Immediately after the ceremony the party proceeded to the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Radentz, just south of the city, where a reception was held, followed by a homecoming wedding dinner. The couple left on the 4:50 train for the east and upon their return will settle on the George W. Coxhead farm in Indian Ford, the groom having rented same for the coming year. The bride and groom are well and favorably known in this city and vicinity and their friends join in extending congratulations.

**Personal.**  
Pat Riley leaves today for the western part of Iowa to engage in farming.

Dr. H. L. Cleary hereafter will make his visits in the country by auto, having bought a 5-passenger car of Andrew Erickson.

Ex-Marshal Phil Welch and family, today departed for Keshop Valley, to take possession of their farm recently purchased there.

William Schrub, Charles Spike and Fred Galt will have tonight for lunch, N. D. Mr. Schrub owns a farm there in that vicinity and Charles Spike and Andrew Erickson all of this city, who own farms adjoining the Schrub place, will have wells drilled on their premises by Mr. Galt. Galt expects to be in the west about one month.

Mrs. James Spike went to Port Atkinson this morning for a short visit with relatives.

The F. National bank this morning opened up for business in its new quarters on Front street.

Miss Edith Whelan is confined at the home of her brother, Thomas Whelan, with illness.

**At Hotel Carlton.**  
Arrivals at the Carlton hotel are: S. H. Kewat, M. M. Cary, L. K. Crisley, Janesville; F. G. Borden, Milton; T. E. Sayre, A. E. Weirick, Holoit; W. M. Gillet, Fond du Lac; Roy Scott, Carleton; M. J. Morris, J. P. Schmidt, F. A. Barker, E. M. Hickey, Geo. H. Smith, J. P. Toman, Milwaukee; L. A. Potter, Detroit, Mich.; E. H. Wood, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Max Angel, Burlington, Iowa; L. A. Schwartz, R. D. Kelley, R. H. Griswold, D. P. Thomas, C. W. Jones, Chicago.

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
The family of Mrs. Margaret Trenwith desire to return thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who assisted them in their late bereavement.

ELIZABETH TRENWITH.  
ANNA TRENWITH.  
MRS. WM. NOONAN.

**Less Than Little.**  
"Alan wants but little here below,"  
As prices go, we guess,  
That he has got the price to buy  
A damned night-lens.

**Where Mr. Wabash Lost Out.**  
Mr. Wabash (to Miss Waldo of Boston)—"I suppose, Miss Waldo, that your father is in business in Boston?"

Miss Waldo—"Oh, yes; he is one of the prominent shoe manufacturers there."

Mr. Wabash—"Ah, indeed. I have never had much business experience myself. Now, about how long does it take your father to make, say, a good eight-dollar shoe?"

Miss Waldo—"About eight weeks."

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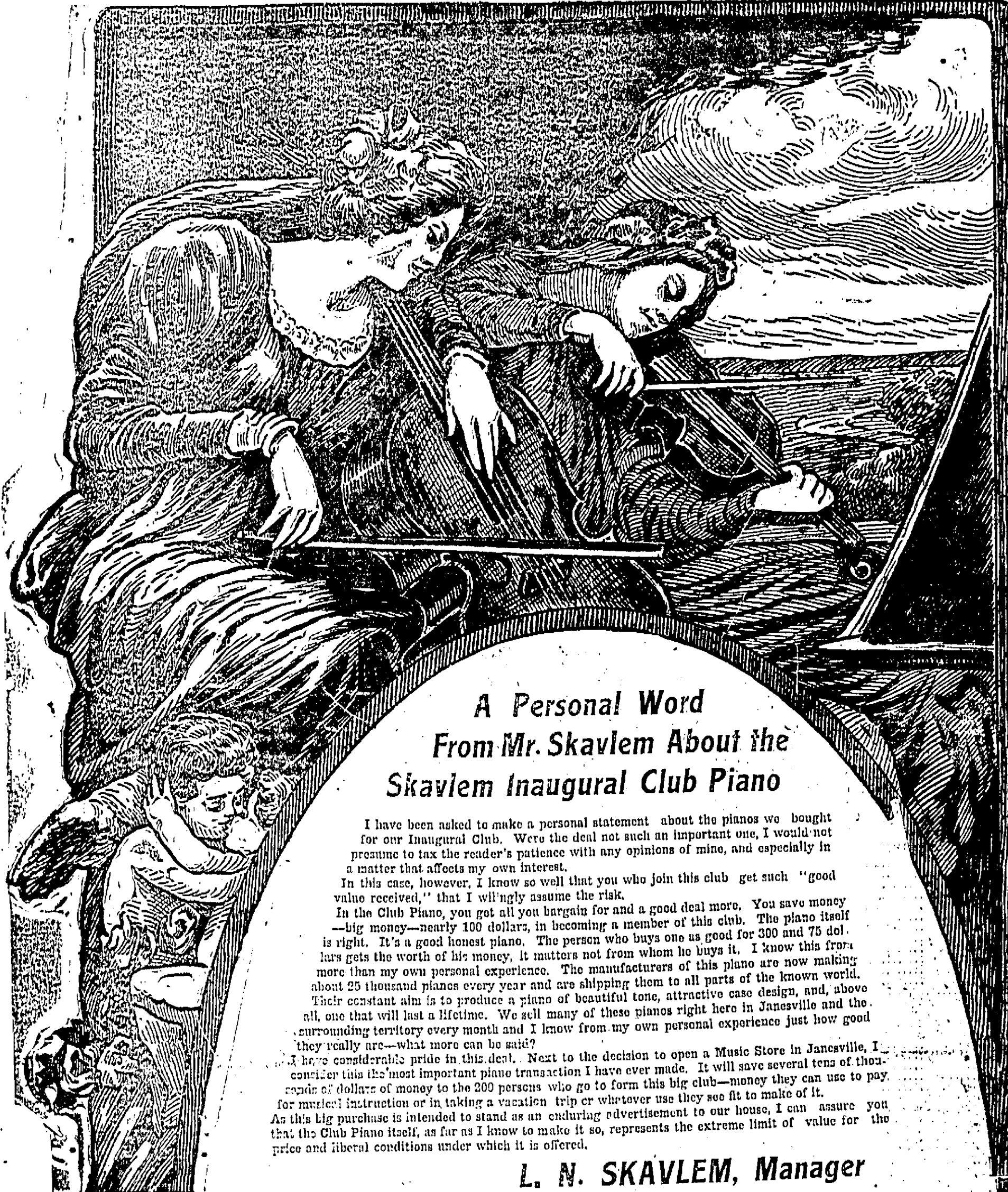
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## A Personal Word From Mr. Skavlem About the Skavlem Inaugural Club Piano

I have been asked to make a personal statement about the pianos we bought for our Inaugural Club. Were the deal not such an important one, I would not presume to tax the reader's patience with any opinions of mine, and especially in a matter that affects my own interest.

In this case, however, I know so well that you who join this club get such "good value received," that I willingly assume the risk.

In the Club Piano, you get all you bargain for and a good deal more. You save money—big money—nearly 100 dollars, in becoming a member of this club. The piano itself is right. It's a good honest piano. The person who buys one as good for 300 and 75 dollars gets the worth of his money, it matters not from whom he buys it. I know this from more than my own personal experience. The manufacturers of this piano are now making about 25 thousand pianos every year and are shipping them to all parts of the known world. Their constant aim is to produce a piano of beautiful tone, attractive case design, and, above all, one that will last a lifetime. We sell many of these pianos right here in Janesville and the surrounding territory every month and I know from my own personal experience just how good they really are—what more can be said?

I have considerable pride in this deal. Next to the decision to open a Music Store in Janesville, I consider this the most important piano transaction I have ever made. It will save several tens of thousands of dollars of money to the 200 persons who go to form this big club—money they can use to pay for musical instruction or in taking a vacation trip or whatever use they see fit to make of it.

As this big purchase is intended to stand as an enduring advertisement to our house, I can assure you that the Club Piano itself, as far as I know to make it so, represents the extreme limit of value for the price and liberal conditions under which it is offered.

**L. N. SKAVLEM, Manager**

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There is positively no interest added.

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- 1.—Every instrument is guaranteed without reserve for five years. There are no "ifs" or "ands" in the guarantee—just a straight-out guarantee as strong as we know how to make it in writing.
- 2.—If, after 30 days' trial, the piano is not satisfactory, we will give you your money back.
- 3.—If the piano is satisfactory after 30 days' use, the Club member has eleven more months in which to satisfy himself as to the character of the piano. If it does not then prove to be everything that he expects, he has the privilege of exchanging it without one penny's loss for any other instrument of equal or greater value than we sell.
- 4.—If a Club Member dies during the life of his contract we will immediately send a receipt in full to his family for the instrument.
- 5.—A beautiful stool and scarf to match the piano are included without extra cost.
- 6.—The piano will be tuned twice without charge.
- 7.—There is positively no interest added.
- 8.—Club Members have an opportunity to still further reduce the cost of their piano by procuring other Club Members.

**L. N. SKAVLEM**  
S. MAIN STREET

SOLE AGENT FOR THE BALDWIN, HAMILTON, ELLINGTON

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Increasing cloudiness with probably rain tonight or Thursday, warmer in east tonight; cooler tomorrow.

### TO ALL READERS

The Gazette is anxious to bring each of its readers into closer touch with both the newspaper and each other. It would like to have them feel free to send in news items. Notices of parties, personal mentions, happenings in your own community, accidents that may occur—in fact anything that you think would interest other readers.

Matters of this nature can be telephoned to the editorial rooms. Call Rock county telephone 62, or Wisconsin phone 77 three rings.

Meetings of lodges, church gatherings, and special meetings of clubs it will be necessary to have written out and left at or mailed to the Gazette to avoid mistakes which might otherwise occur.

The columns of the paper are also open to communications on subjects of interest. Write your views of affairs, on one side of the paper only. Be sure and sign your name; it will not be published if you do not wish it to, and either leave or mail to the office.

Try this system and you will be surprised how much more interesting the reading of the evening paper becomes to you.

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I. H. BLISS,  
 Business Mgr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1911.

(Seal) OLIVER M. HAYWARD,  
 Notary Public.

My commission expires July 12, 1914.

### GREAT COMBINES.

A suit has been filed in behalf of the United States government in Cleveland against thirty-five concerns engaged in the manufacture of incandescent electric lights. It is alleged in the government's petition that these companies are banded together in a conspiracy to restrain of trade and have already gained control of 97 per cent of the country's supply of electric lights. Something like 800,000,000 electric lamps are sold in this country every year, and the cash value of the business done by the combine, trust or monopoly, foots up \$18,000,000. The profits of the combination paid in dividends have increased from \$50,000 in 1901 to \$300,000 in 1910. It is alleged that the trust had year hold an undivided surplus of \$1,439,158.92.

These figures serve to show to what an enormous degree the electric lamp business has grown within six years. They are paralleled, however, by figures relating to the growth of numerous other industries. The story of the last fourteen years in the United States is a story of marvelous industrial expansion and prosperity. No objection can well be raised to this state of things. Good times are not regrettable. The point raised against the great combines, however, is that their tendency, if not their present effect in some instances, is to monopolize the good times. If the electric lamp combine shall be dissolved, or resolved by law into its original components, we shall have thirty-five concerns doing what the single trust is now doing. The theory is that this will reopen the business to free competition. It may; but no plan has yet been devised that will prevent the group of shareholders who now control the trust from controlling the thirty-five concerns after the trust shall have been dissolved.

There is hardly a question that the Standard Oil company, the American Tobacco company and many other combinations that may be classed with these two have already made arrangements for dissolution in anticipation of an adverse decision by the

supreme court. In all likelihood, we shall in the next few years see a general breaking up of the so-called monopolies, as such. But what all this will amount to is likely to be a reorganization of the great interests upon lines that will conform to the anti-trust laws. Time alone can determine whether the small manufacturer and dealer and the consumer will be benefited or injured by the change. The encouraging phase of the matter, however, is that the laws are demonstrating their ability to reach abuses wherever they may be believed or known to exist.

### PLAGUE AND FAMINE.

China, in the midst of her sluggish efforts at political reform, is afflicted with the double calamity of famine and the black death. The accounts from our missionaries are horrifying. Dr. Samuel Cochran, an American engaged in the work of relief, reports: "One million people will die before the first crop is harvested. This will be scanty, because the people have not the strength to till the soil, while no animals remain for plowing." On the northern frontier there are no doctors familiar with modern methods of sanitation, no means of relief, no supplies, no funds. The plague is of the pneumonic type, the immediate causes being exhaustion, starvation, and the destruction of last year's crop, occasioned by a fall of 16 inches of rain during two days of last August. Among a people crushed by taxation which never finds its way into the government treasury, and living from hand to mouth, this means death, by the myriad.

The plague started on the frontiers of Manchuria, and has since made its way southward, until it touched the railway. To reach its suffering provinces China has but a single, inadequate line, and no food to spare from its less afflicted districts. Relief must therefore come from abroad. It is gratifying to know that the first installment of food and money will reach the sufferers from the United States.

Immediate causes of the calamity have been mentioned, but more impressive are the remote ones, for these will remain after the others have disappeared. The entire history of this empire, the unavailing efforts of its industries, but enslaved people to provide a scant subsistence and prevent that recurrence of famine and plague which has more than once decimated its population, arises from the peculiar character of its religion, which, like that of ancient Peru, deifies its ruler, clothes him with a mysterious authority, and compels him to be worshipped as a god.

### UNCLE JOE.

Uncle Joe has closed his reign as the czar of the House of Representatives and is now to be only a common working member of that body. In the days before he became speaker he was known as the "Watchdog of the Treasury" and was as much feared by the members who sought to loot the public funds for their own benefit as he is as speaker. The New York World, the democratic organ that seeks to revolutionize everything that even smells of republicanism, says of him and Champ Clark's tribute to him as follows:

"We like the speech that Champ Clark made about Uncle Joe Cannon at the deathbed of the sixty-first congress, and we like the speech Uncle Joe made in reply.

"We think Uncle Joe will have a place in history among the great speakers of the house of representatives. He will not rank with Clay or Reed, but he will rank far above a majority of the men who have held that office.

"We are pleased to say this about Uncle Joe because we have had to say many unpleasant things about him during the last eight years. There are few political questions about which the World and Uncle Joe have been able to agree. In fact, we regard him as an obstinate old reactionary whose school of politics is as dead as the dinosaur and who represents the worst tendencies in the republican party.

"For all that, as a speaker he had brains, he had courage, he had decision, he had parliamentary skill and he knew his trade. We hope he will be happy as he sits back in his chair watching Champ Clark drive the wild horses."

The state legislature has laid in the recess of the deepest cubby hole the bill to legalize tax farming in Milwaukee. How does that sound to the Janesville men who sought to hold this method of collecting taxes onto Janesville?

There is going to be some fun this spring after all. While it looks smooth on the surface there is lots doing below where the deep waters flow. Some candidates are going to be horribly surprised.

Those Chicago White Sox can win any number of victories while they are playing against themselves down at the training quarters. Wait till they meet a good ball team.

It is suggested that a good way to place the much talked of street signs would be to put them in colored cement or stone in the sidewalks. Better still, have a brass plate made to put in the walks.

The Wisconsin legislature has a chance to cover itself with glory or something else, by killing some of those noxious measures that twang of socialism.

Janesville has six hens that beat record made by the New York birds all to follow on a comparison schedule.

The French cabinet seems to be in for a short life if not a merry one.

That order to clean up the city, as suggested by Alderman Buchholz, was a fine thing and the next move in the matter is to have it enforced.

Why not make that Racine street bridge of cement? It would look better, wear better, and be better every way.

Where are the Ohio river floods? They have not started yet or is the old river going to be good this spring?

From now until election day there will be busy times and secret conferences for candidates seeking office.

Zion City does not follow the old teachings of "Peace on earth, good will towards men."

Senator Bailey evidently pulled his resignation back as soon as he had a good excuse.

### PRESS COMMENT.

#### And Sockless Simpson.

Milwaukee Press-Tribune: Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, who may or may not be a member of the United States senate, achieved fame by refusing to wear a dress suit.

#### Amen!!!

Milwaukee Sentinel: "John Brown belongs in the same class with Booth, Galt, and Czolgosz," opines a Kansas statesman. But "his soul goes marching on" just the same.

#### Keep It Up.

Chicago Inter Ocean: Hayti is declared to be in a state of anarchy, with every man seeking an enemy in every other man and "trigger fingers very nervous." If this keeps up long enough it means that the "Black Republic" will be depopulated, with neither side victorious.

#### For!

Chicago Tribune: President Taft will have a fine time in Georgia. In his genial climate, under its soft, blue skies, afar from the turmoil of official life at the nation's capital, he will be where the throng of office-seekers can trouble him no more, and his weary soul may rest—and the rolling is good.

Under the "Anheuser-Busch." Chicago Record-Herald: On the occasion of their golden wedding, Brewster and Busch of St. Louis presented his wife with a \$200,000 crown. Evidently he is convinced that Budweiser is not the only friend he has.

#### Not So Slow?

Milwaukee News: Sixty-six years old, father of twenty-five children and still young! Is Samuel Danbury of New Jersey? Some man that!

#### How Is This?

Madison Journal: It has been proved that David Harum did not invent the skirt that bears his name.

#### Rockford Elks.

Rockford Register-Gazette: Rockford Elks and their fair assistants demonstrated again last night that they can present a better musical show for one hour than is given by a majority of the traveling troupes which come along and sing theatre songs for \$1.50 a seat.

#### Advertise the Fact.

Beloit News: Figures indicate that the stork is fast becoming Beloit's favorite bird. Can't we get T. H. to say something nice about us?

#### Where Is the Mule?

Chicago Daily News: Missouri is almost as proud of the fact that she is the champion corn-cob pipe producer as that Champ Clark acknowledges his residence to be there.

#### A Joke Now?

Monroe Journal: Reporter to the managing editor: "Roosevelt will start on another tour of the country—how much shall I give him?" "Five lines in the joke column."

#### Still Fighting.

Milwaukee Journal: The Mexican revolution, which was suppressed and never amounted to anything anyway, it seems, is still in process of being put down.

## Uncle Walt

THE POET PHILOSOPHER

(Copyright, 1909, by George Matthew Adams.)  
 By WALT MARON.

James Jenson worked in Quimper's store. He doesn't work there any more. He was a calculating clerk who thought he knew just how much work a man should do.

THE UNEMPLOYED earn his pay—he does about two hours a day. He was laid late at nights, the constitution to persevere, and over his righteous whims to nurse. He knew his duties to a hair; he would not even dust a chair, or stroke the stove, or close a door—he wasn't paid to do that chore.

His nature had grown harsh and sour through fear that he might work on hour for which he would not draw his pay; he brooded over his rights all day, and dreamed about his rights in bed, until his rights went to his head. Then Quimper exercised his right, and fired young James one balmy night. He said: "I gave you every chance to flourish, prosper and advance, but all your rights have turned to hay. A thousand men will rally to your side, and you will have the chance to please somebody, Mr. Pence." I pity him who snorts and flirts and rips around about his rights!

#### Naturally.

"That man over there, talking to the policeman, is one of the light-fingered kind."

"You don't say so. He and the policeman seem very friendly."

"That's nothing. He's an accountant."

## STREET CAR CO.

HAS MATERIAL  
 READY FOR WORK

Diamond Crossing For Academy Street Intersection With Railroad To Be Laid Shortly.

As soon as the weather permits the Janesville street railway company will continue their work of improving the service by finishing the laying of the heavy seventy pound rails from Racine street to the car barn, placing the Y from Eastern Avenue to Melkey Boulevard crossing the two switch tracks and laying the "diamond crossing" at the Academy street crossing of the Northwestern and St. Paul roads. The work of laying the rails up Milwaukee street from the point where work ceased last winter will also be rushed so that by early summer the line will be in first class shape. The company will have new tracks the length of Milwaukee street from Milton Avenue to Academy street and down South Main street. This may bring about the transfer of the Interurban cars to the South Main street line as contemplated last fall. Just what other extensions may be made later to the Milton Avenue or as to this possible swing out Milwaukee Avenue have not yet been decided.

### The Only Alternative.

Mother (to her daughter)—What is your father making such a row about in the other room? Either the doctor has forbidden him to smoke or he is now asking him for your hand.—Chicago Blade.

### A Consistent Deceiver.

"What are you going to do with all that counterfeit money?" asked, Sapphira. "My dear," answered Annulus, "I am going to pay my dues in the distinguished club that bears my name."

For making quickly and perfectly, delicious hot biscuits, hot breads, cake and pastry there is no substitute for

# Dr. PRICE'S

## CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard

### Made from pure Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum—No Lime Phosphates

"I am entirely opposed to the use of alum in Baking Powders."—Prof. Chandler, Columbia Univ.

Read the Label

"Alum, sodium alum, basic aluminum sulphate, sulphate of aluminum, all mean the same thing—namely, BURNED ALUM."—Kansas State Board of Health.

Immense Cuban Cabbages, Cuba grows 20-pound cabbages heads.

## Are Drugs Necessary? Do Drugs Cure Disease? Can Nature be Assisted?

If people were born right and afterwards lived right, there would be no use for medicine. Every doctor knows this. Do other well-informed people. One thing more. When a person lives wrongly, or acquires bodily weakness by heredity, medicine can do only very little. Medicine cannot cure him. Only charlatans claim that medicines will cure disease. Medicines may palliate symptoms. Medicines may urge the powers of Nature to resist disease. Medicines sometimes arouse the efforts of the human body to right itself against derangements. This is the most that medicine can do.

A man accidentally puts his finger in the fire. Instinctively he wets his finger in his mouth, then blows on it for the cooling effect. This is no cure. He knows it very well. But it makes it feel better for the time being.

People eat unhealthily. This produces dyspepsia or indigestion. The only rational cure is to eat correctly. Yet if a palliative is at hand the pains of indigestion can be mitigated, the throes of dyspepsia assuaged. The medicine cannot be said to have cured. It simply palliates disagreeable symptoms. The cure must come through right living.

Take Peruna, for instance. No one claims Peruna is a cure for dyspepsia. But Peruna will stimulate the stomach to perform its function properly. Peruna will increase the flow of digestive fluids, without which digestion cannot be carried on at all. It will increase the relish of food, the appetite.

It is admitted that all this can be accomplished by right living, but there are so many people who either will not or do not know how to eat correctly that a tremendous amount of good can be done by the wise use of Peruna.

A stomach that has been frequently abused performs the function of digestion very lazily. Such a stomach allows the food to remain undigested for some time after it is swallowed. This leads to fermentation of the food. Sour stomach is the result. This goes on week after week, until the blood is poisoned with the products of fermentation. This condition is very apt to produce rheumatism.

It is not claimed that Peruna will cure rheumatism. Nothing will cure rheumatism but correct living. But it is claimed that Peruna will assist a badly abused stomach to perform its work.

If a person would correct his habits, persist in right eating and temperate ways, undoubtedly the stomach would right itself, the blood would rid itself of the poison, and everything would be right. But as said before there are a multitude of people who will not or cannot adopt right methods of living. To such people Peruna is a boon. A dose before meals will assist the stomach to do its work. This prevents fermentation of the food, brings about normal digestion, and all the train of ills that follow indigestion disappear.

In other words, Peruna is helpful to those who live badly, or those who have acquired some chronic weakness. Peruna does not cure, but it assists the powers of Nature to bring about a cure. The whip does not increase the power of the horse to pull a load, but judiciously used it stimulates the horse to use his powers at the right time, without which he could not have pulled the load.

This illustrates the effect of Peruna, or any other good remedy upon the system. Taken at the right time, it calls forth the powers of the human system to meet the encroachments of disease, and thus cures, if not entirely ends, the diseased action.

No one should ever attempt to substitute medicine in the place of right living. In the end such an attempt will prove a disaster. But an occasional use of the right medicine at the right time is a godsend, and no reasonable person will undertake to deny it.

Those who know how to use Peruna find it of untold value. By and by the world will get wise enough so that through correct living no medicine at all will be needed. But that time has not arrived. In the meantime, while the world is approaching that perfection in which all medicine will be eliminated, Peruna is a handy remedy to have in the house.

Slight derangements of the stomach, slight catarrhs of the liver, the throat, bronchial tubes, lungs or bowels, these attacks are sure to lead to grave diseases, and can be averted by the judicious use of Peruna.

Wouldn't you like to read a few uncollected testimonials from people who have used Peruna, and who stand ready to confirm the above statements concerning it? If so, address, the Peruna Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio, and we will send you a proof.

## Plow Repairing

Horse Shoeing,  
 Wood Work,  
 Wagon Repairing.

We do all kinds of repairing promptly, having the necessary facilities for such work.

Send in your plows, we sharpen, harden and polish them the same as a factory.

We also handle the best rubber vehicle tires that we can buy, and are equipped for putting them on. Our prices are reasonable and our work is guaranteed first-class in every respect.

# WM. KUHLLOW & SON

NORTH FIRST STREET.

## We Can Save Money For You on Your Spring Suit or Coat

We offer many of the finest sample lines of New York manufacturers at a third less than retail, because we buy them at a third less than wholesale. No two in the same line are alike, and we consider that they are finished better and often are better made than suits from regular stocks.

BE SURE TO SEE OUR DISPLAYS BEFORE YOU PURCHASE!

## Extra Sizes in Plush and Caracul Coats

Handsome models, at \$20 to \$22.50. At these prices, savings of nearly half.

## Evening Dresses

Handsome gowns for party and evening wear. Manufacturer's models used for exhibition and sale purposes. Come in silk, silk chiffon and satins. You save a third the price. \$15 to \$25.

## New Dress Skirts

Handsome numbers in black and new colors, specially priced, because they are a sample line. \$3.50 and \$5.00.

## Spring Dresses

For Street and Evening. A New York manufacturer's sample line. All are handsome models, finely finished, very good styles. Silks, light weight wools, pongees, at a saving of a third. Prices \$9.00 to \$20.00.

## House Dresses

One-piece, beautiful styles, in light and dark ginghams, priced \$1.25 to \$2.50. They are maker's samples. You save a third.

## ARCHIE REID & CO.



## Magnificent Residence of Stewart C. Chambers, Milton Junction, Wis.

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The above is a fair sample of our work. Our satisfied customers are our best advertisement.

If you are going to build, write, phone or call on

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It makes no difference how much you spend on your new house, the workmanship will be just the same, thoroughly efficient in every little detail. We can erect a house for you as cheap or as costly as you wish.

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 DECORATIONS

The Interior Decorations of this beautiful home were executed throughout in a most harmonious and workmanlike manner by

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 & RICE

Painters & Decorators.  
 35 S. MAIN ST.  
 Janesville.

This residence was finished inside and outside exclusively by Sherwin & Williams paints, varnishes and materials.







## TELLING THE NEWS

"Well, I came over to be the first one to tell you the news," boomed Grandma Trindiville. She spread her voluminous black silk skirts over the big rocker, put on her spectacles and proceeded to extract her knitting from her large wheezing bag. "Elvira Dobbins and our Henry's gold to make a match of it after all."

"My! My! It seems like a long time since they begun keeping company together. I guess Henry never looked at another girl from the time they went to school together—anyways not while Elvira was around. Elvira had a plenty of beaux. My! Such a flirt as that girl was! But she's sobered down considerably during the last ten years. I used to tell Henry he'd better quit—he wouldn't never really take her. But Henry he'd always say: 'Gramma, he'd say, 'as long as Elvira's single I won't quit. When she's married to some other fellow I'll take a back seat.'"

"Henry used to talk real open to me about it sometimes and then again he'd be as close-mouthed as a clam. I mind one day when him and Elvira'd been out for a long drive." Grandma stopped to have a reminiscent chuckle. "I guess she'd been giving him a chase that day, for Henry he come in to his supper looking like a thunder cloud. Maybe he'd ought to a knowed better'n to say anything right then, but, law! folks have to be pretty old before they get any sense."

"Well, when Henry come in to supper that night I didn't have no more sense than to begin teasing him about Elvira."

"Henry, I says, kind of chucklin' to myself, 'how are the courtin' folks getting along?'"

"My! My! But Henry was mad at me! He said a word I never heard him use before nor since. He said it wasn't any of my business, only he made use of a word that he'd been a little smaller he'd 'a' got a good spanking for usin'." Grandma whisked away from sheer enjoyment of her grandmother's lapse.

"Well, in the meantime," she continued, "Elvira was flirin' with this one and that one and 'other one and having a mighty fine time, take it all round. Do you mind when Henry had that attack of typhoid? Seemed like he'd passed away half a dozen times off and on and he was out of his head till we all thought he never would talk straight again. And all the time it was: 'Elvira! Elvira! Why don't Elvira come?'"

"Well, bless your heart, one of the first sensible things he said when he come to was: 'Gramma, how did Elvira take it?'"

"Take what, son? I says, though I knew fast enough what he meant, but I didn't quite know what to say, for Elvira'd been flirin' around like she always did and happy as a clam."

"No bein' sick," says Henry, and his eyes seemed like they was goin' to drop clear out the back of his head, they was so awful sunk in."

"Well, I says, kind of southin', 'who come round to ask how you was gettin' along every now and then?'"

"How many times did she come?" he says, kind of impatient.

"Well, I says, 'I guess they ain't no use beatin' round the bush about it, Henry,' I says. 'She didn't come but twice.'"

"He lays back on his pillow and laughs real soft like."

"Well, gramma," he says, 'I guess I might about as well give up, don't you think?'"

"Yes, Henry, I says, 'it does look that way.'"

"Henry just set his lips tight, like the Watsons always do when they get set. You know, the Watsons ain't like my side; they're just as pig-headed as they can be. 'Well, I ain't goin' to, gramma,' he says, 'not 'long as she ain't married to nobody else.'"

"It wasn't very long after that Elvira up and married this here Eddy Thompson that was about the poorest excuse for a man that ever went around on two legs."

"They do say there was times when they didn't have enough to eat in the house, but I don't know about that, for Elvira was too proud to say a word. But everybody knows she took in plain sewin' and did every thing she could help along, and mighty poor pickin's she got, too. I guess when Eddy Thompson died and took himself out the way it was the best day's work he'd done in a long time, even if he did leave Elvira with that little spindly-shanked young one that they call Margarita to take care of."

Grandma gave way once more to joyous chuckles.

"Seems like the minute Henry heard about Eddy dyin' he started in with his courtin' again. He went right over and took charge of everything for Elvira, her not havin' any men folks handy. My! My! But the Watsons are pig-headed!"

"I'm goin' to get her this time, gramma," he says to me about a couple of weeks after the funeral. And there enough, he's done it."

Grandma sat and smiled to herself for a minute or two, rocking gently back and forth.

"Henry'll make Elvira a mighty good husband," she resumed, "even if he is awful set. He's a good provider, and if he hadn't been so set some other girl 'ud 'a' had him before this; so I think things will work out well enough, come to think about it."

Self-Evident.

If you're willing to make the best of it, you're not likely to get the worst of it.

Make your advertising a steady diet and not a banquet.

## DIADEM IS HER CROWN

MR. AND MRS. ADOLPH BUSCH CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Husband Presents Wife With Diamonds and Jewels Worth \$200,000 at Their Fiftieth Anniversary.

Pasadena, Cal., March 8.—Adolphus Busch, president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, and Mrs. Busch, enthroned amidst their relatives and friends, celebrated their "380,000 golden wedding," while from Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, Australia and the islands of the sea came greetings. Ten thousand joined in the celebration.

Wherever there is a branch of the brewing company the day was spent in merrymaking.

In 42 states of the Union and everywhere else that the company has an employee the day was a holiday, the employees were entertained by dinners and theater parties and thousands of telegrams of felicitation poured in upon Mr. and Mrs. Busch at Pasadena.

Emperor William sent a solid gold loving cup; so did former President Roosevelt, and President Taft sent one of the new St. Gaudens \$20 gold pieces in an ivory case.

The receipt of a solid gold plate, about eight by ten inches, the gift of the employees of the Anheuser-Busch brewery in St. Louis, so overwrought the sensibilities of Mr. Busch that he collapsed.

From their children came a dozen solid gold dinner plates, valued at \$25,000; the grandchildren presented them with a solid gold flower basket costing \$15,000, and the branch managers all over the world joined in a solid gold vase valued at \$200,000.

These are but a few of the magnificent gifts showered upon them, and when the festivities at Pasadena were beginning Mr. Busch placed upon Mrs. Busch's head a solid gold, diamond studded diadem costing \$200,000.

## PERJURY LEADS TO CELL

Five Witnesses Confess They Told Untruths to Aid Oleo Moonshiners Who Got Long Terms.

Chicago, March 8.—Wholesale perjury, confessed before United States District Judge K. M. Landis, not only failed of its purpose to keep Peter K. Brimble and K. K. Brimble, also moonshiners out of prison, but it added to the punishment inflicted upon them for their illicit dealings in near by.

Four young women and one man admitted to the court that at the instigation of the Brimble brothers they had previously given perjured testimony, in which they had been carefully coached at a secret night meeting in one of Brimble's stores.

Judge Landis sentenced Peter K. Brimble to serve six years in the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and to pay a fine of \$13,000. K. K. Brimble was fined \$5,000 and sentenced to four years in the same prison.

## SEVER'S OWN LEG WITH AX

Man Saves His Life by Cutting Off Injured Member Which Was Crushed Under Tree.

Ottawa, Ont., March 8.—Near Prescott, Ont., Daniel Snyder of Huron, N. Y., saved his life by cutting off his leg with an ax himself. He was felling a tree and it fell across his leg crushing it to a jelly. Knowing he would bleed to death before the leg could be removed he severed the leg, the rest of the way, himself, with his ax.

## Securities Commission Done.

New York, March 8.—The railroad securities commission, of which President Hindsley of Yale is chairman, concluded the taking of testimony and will devote its time to executive sessions until its report is completed.

Simulation Wins.

Some pretty long-headed philosophers hold that if you are not jealous of your wife you must make her think you are.—Detroit Free Press.



## VICTOR MINSTRELS

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\$1.00 A WEEK PAYS FOR THE WHOLE OUTFIT.

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## Make a Note of This.

There may be no psychological significance contained in the fact, but we may lay down the dictum, nevertheless, that few women who are good bridge players trim their own hair.

## Fashionable Styles in Politics.

Many literary men in France adopt a political opinion because it suits their style and attitude. They choose a party as they would a necktie.—Paris Figaro.

## Salt Water Baths in London.

A flourishing business in England now is sending sea water up to London for the use of those who wish a dip in the ocean without the trouble of traveling down to the seashore for it.

## Timothy and Clover Seed

of only the highest quality will be sold by us again this year. Last year we handled ONLY the best seeds and we found out what the farmers in this section demand. It is not "how much" with the farmers today but "how good" the seeds are—the price is secondary consideration. We bought our seeds early and now give you the benefit of HIGH QUALITY and FAIR PRICES.

Medium Clover, \$10.00 per bushel.  
Mammoth Clover, \$10.00 per bushel.  
Alsike Clover, \$10.00 per bushel.  
Timothy Seed, \$5.25 per bushel.

All other field and garden seeds are sold by us and have got the quality.

## Commercial Fertilizer

is bought by us in car lots and we can sell at the lowest possible price. We have fertilizer especially adapted for tobacco, sugar beets, grain, potatoes, lawns, etc. It is chemically prepared so that you get returns the same season. Come in NOW before you want to use it. Prices \$20.00, \$20.00 and \$23.00 per ton. Try it on a few acres.

F. H. GREEN & SON  
115 N. MAIN.  
FEED AND SEED.

## Shall Janesville Set the Pace For the World?

EXTRACTS FROM AFTERNOON ADDRESS BY C. Z. O. BOWEN, JANESVILLE, WIS.

THE \$5.00 PRIZE is paid to Mrs. W. D. Barnes, Park Hotel, Janesville, Wis.

Mrs. Barnes, the 644th person to contribute usable names, is to be congratulated as one of the very few to whom God has given a definite idea of His purpose, methods, and ultimates.

"The Automatic and Perpetual Revolution of 'The System' of Created Things."

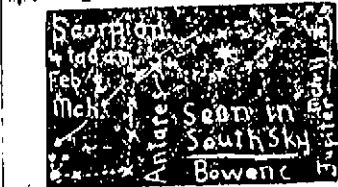
"The Supreme's Infallible Guide to Economic Justice and 'Heaven on Earth.'"

A Perfect Demonstrating Model of 280 independent sections, a Most Marvellous Replica of God's Great Creation, is almost completed, by a young Genius in Lewis Knitting Co.'s plant.

We have great cause to rejoice, since "To Be Just" is the only set and state that preserves humans from death during the Impending Revolution, these Names and Models are priceless since they will teach millions WHAT JUSTICE IS and HOW TO BE JUST, thus gaining safety to whom would otherwise perish during the Panic of Social Reconstruction.

We are now well equipped to demonstrate the unity of all creation, men and facts.

How can any deny that God is speaking to humanity in this diagram



on the sky, for surely no man nor chance has arranged these stars and moves across the sky? Do you know what it means? God therein says that those who desire to retain their physical life and body, must make an immediate and earnest attempt to comprehend 'The System and Laws of Economic Justice,' since 21 Jupiter (Socialism, Unionism, Anarchism, etc.) cannot escape the ANNIHILATING STING of 10, Scorpio (Capitalism and Exploitation) even though mortally wounded ere it stings.

In other words, Jupiter, 21 and Scorpio, 10 will cease to exist on this planet ere Jupiter has moved beyond the reach of the Scorpio's sting, as pictured on the sky where all can see and make sensible preparation for the Remarkable Change, Dan. 7:22. Yes, people, watch the position and movement of that Great Planet Jupiter for God therewith writes day by day history of Capital and Labor and Death of both.

Another view of the same subject. According to The Census, the average wage-earner of Janesville produces each year \$1280 of wealth above cost of materials, machinery, and running expenses of the employer. Out of this \$1280 the worker gets only \$437, while the two-third part, \$843, goes into the hands of The Idle Rich and Exploiter.

Now my Civic Brothers and Sisters, this is an awful Crime, because by such procedure we hoard up banks of gold, instead of stores of food against a time of famine. China's starving millions is but one example of our dastardly work. We must suffer more and more severely until we trace from results back to cause and remove wrong cases. The problem is yet unsolved, and we are all more or less in it and responsible for it, and are close to the limit, when the whole of humanity will suffer and millions ere Nov. 22, 1912, will lose all their possessions, other millions starve and other millions die in Riot and Wars ere we regain our lost balance, Food vs. \$\$. The change must be made speedily or soon. The Earth has outgrown this system. There are no new lands to open up. We must change in peace or do it in blood, but Slaughter, Grief, Loss, Misery, War, and Destruction of Schools, Churches and

## Definition of Coquette.

To give you nothing, and to make you expect everything; to dawdle on the threshold of love while the doors are closed—this is all the science of a coquette.—T. Bernard.

## BUY JANESVILLE MADE GOODS

Help build the factories of our town for they help build the city. Boost hard and long for Janesville Industries, even if you happen to be employed in them. Every one likes a booster

## Upholstering and Furniture Repairing

Spring is almost here with its attendant home cleaning time. Look over your furniture and send me the broken, scratched and worn pieces and let me make them look like new. My prices are reasonable and I guarantee my work.

## Hugo H. Trebs

104 N. Franklin St.  
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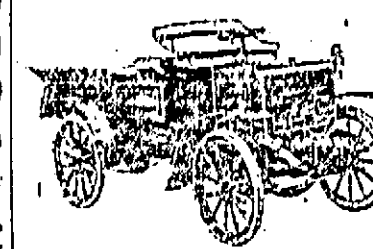
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Be up-to-date. Get a Monitor Motor Car. It will actually do the work of three horse-drawn vehicles at much less cost. Call or write. Let us prove this to you.

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Janesville, Wis.

## FOR THOSE WHO KNOW THE BEST

There is no beer at any price, better brewed with finer flavor and more healthful qualities than "CROAK'S BEER"

Brewed in Janesville, It is delicious, healthful, and invigorating. The best beer for your home—to be enjoyed by your family and guests. Prompt delivery of phone or mail orders.

## CROAK BREWING CO.

## The Evolution of Booster Bill

## III.—Bill Goes After New Industries

When old Bill Clue got a new view The thing transformed him through and through. He took a public spirit pill. That made a BOOSTER out of Bill.



Said he, "To me 'tis very clear WE NEED SOME NEW INDUSTRIES HERE."

And so he advertised and planned And sent out writeups through the land.

Replies came fast, and now arise New factory stacks to meet the skies. "As a town tonic, why, gee whizz," Says OH, "PRINT INK'S THE BEST THAT IS."

Tree Has Many Qualities.

While the seeds of the doroan, an East African lignitious tree, are extensively used for food, the pods and leaves form an excellent cement when mixed with crushed stone.

In arranging for Demonstrations, in Janesville or near by cities, remember that 20 is the limit and 12 is still better. Mark 4:11.

## Do You Own Chickens?

If you do, this is meant for you. Cass's Molasses Feed is guaranteed to make every hen you own a good egg producer. At the present price of eggs this means money in your pocket. Better call us up for a trial order. Remember it's guaranteed.

L. H. CASE FEED CO.

120 PARK ST.

## The Hough Shade Corporation

MAKES PORCH SHADES AND HAMMOCKS OF QUALITY.

## Vudor Porch Shades

make your Porch delightfully habitable, and VUDOR Reinforced Hammocks—the kind that last—greatly add to your Porch pleasures. For sale in Janesville by J. M. Eastwick & Sons

## When You Buy Overalls, Shirts or Duck Clothing

ask for the JANESVILLE CLOTHING CO. MAKE. Have stood the test. Every garment guaranteed. Best for the money.

Janesville Clothing Co.

## FLUFF RUGS

manufactured from your worn carpets. Phone or write us for prices.

## JANESVILLE RUG CO.

Both phones. 121 N. Main St.

## Shurtleff's Ice Cream

Made of pure pasteurized cream and eggs and always up to our standard of quality, which is the best. One order will convince you.

## SHURTLEFF CO.

Janesville, Wis.

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H. E. McSature, Janesville.  
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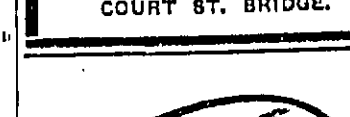
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Both Phones.

## Buy the Janesville Plows

Riding, Gang and Sulky Plows. No better plows can be made. We keep a full stock on hand all the time. You can come to us for repairs and parts.

Bower City Implement Co. COURT ST. BRIDGE.



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## Bring in your old Spring Raincoat

and have it fixed up in ship-shape for spring. I will make it look like new for you. Charges reasonable. Work guaranteed first-class.

F. J. WURMS.

With Amos Rehberg &amp; Co.

Old phone 3072. Res. phone 4163.

## Sheet Metal Work

I have the best equipped shop in Janesville for the production of sheet metal work, and will be pleased at all times to figure with you on anything you wish done, in this line. My experience covers a period of forty years and I guarantee all my work to be satisfactory.

Prompt and efficient service is my motto.

E. H. PELTON

E. Milwaukee St.

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JANESVILLE FLORAL CO.

BOTH PHONES:

Greenhouses: S. Main St. and S. Jackson St.

## "Every User"

of a Pack-Williamson Underfeed Hot Water or Steam Heating system will tell you that he saves one-half on his coal bill. We are the Janesville agents.

## C. E. Cochrane

First-class Plumbing and Steam Fitting Work of all kinds.

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We have a complete establishment for all the work as you will find in the largest cities.

It will pay you to bring your tires here. You not only save express charges, but every bit of work we do for you is absolutely guaranteed.

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## General Contracting

Estimates cheerfully furnished on all jobs, whether large or small. Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. R. HAYES

12 Pleasant St.

## PERFECTION IN UNDER-GARMENTS

## "THE LEWIS"

\$1.00 and upwards, for spring and summer. Exclusive agents for Janesville.

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## PLAN COPPER MERGER

FEDERAL INJUNCTION IS ONLY OBSTACLE IN WAY.

Stockholders of Nine Companies Give Informal Consent to Consolidation With Calumet and Hecla.

Detroit, March 8.—The consolidation of nine companies in northern Michigan with the Calumet and Hecla Mining company, which holds stock in all, received the informal approval of not only the stockholders of the main company, but of two of the minor organizations, the Algonquin and the Tamarack.

Through an order of the United States circuit court of northern Michigan granting a temporary injunction against consolidation at this time none of the companies could vote directly on the question, so an informal expression of opinion was obtained, and there were but few dissenters.

On Thursday the stockholders of the Osceola company will vote informally, and it is then that the principal opposition is expected, for it was one of the Osceola stockholders, G. H. Hyams of New York, who obtained the injunction.

If the injunction is removed by the courts, all the companies will meet on April 25 to act directly on the proposed merger.

Under the plan, the nine companies, Algonquin, Tamarack, Ahmeek, Benec, Centennial, Laurium, LaSalle, Superior and Osceola will be merged into the Calumet, whose capital is increased to \$10,000,000.

## HIGH COURT UPHOLDS BLAIR

Disfranchisement of 1,000 Voters by Adams County, Judge Ratified by Ohio Supreme Tribunal.

Portsmouth, O., March 8.—More than 100 indictments will in all probability be reported in Scioto county by the grand jury as the result of a decision by the Ohio supreme court upholding the disfranchisement of more than 1,000 voters in Adams county by Judge A. Z. Blair. When those disfranchisements were taken to the supreme court, Judge Blair dropped the investigation of Scioto county's affairs and waited until his action in Adams county was ratified by the bench. Now the probe will go on and these indictments may be returned this week.

## ACCUSE PRIEST OF SEDITION

Bishop of Oporto to Be Dismissed From Portugal for Encouraging People to Revolt.

Lisbon, March 8.—The government has decided to dismiss the bishop of Oporto on the grounds that he urged the priests of his diocese to read the forbidden pastoral letter and also encouraged the people to revolt.

Several priests have been arrested for reading the letter to their congregations. The communication, while setting forth that it is the duty of Catholics to respect the constituted authorities, even though these be hostile to Catholicism, adds that if a new law is unjust and contrary to the law of God it is binding upon Catholics.

## FOUR PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Detroiters Deny Charge That They Conspired to Defraud Government of Coal Lands.

Detroit, Mich., March 8.—Four of the seven men indicted by the federal grand jury here on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the United States government out of 48,000 acres of coal land in Alaska, valued at more than \$50,000,000, appeared before Judge Swan. They were Wilbur W. McAlpine, Arthur L. Holmes, McCarty Lebeau and Frank D. Andrus, all of Detroit. Pleas of not guilty were entered and each was released on bonds fixed at \$3,000 with one surety.

## ALL JOLIET HUNT FOR BOY

Herman Labo, Aged Four Years, Missing, and Schoolboys, Police and Citizens Search Country.

Joliet, Ill., March 8.—Three hundred schoolboys, the police and a sympathetic public are searching the city and surrounding country for Herman, four-year-old son of Joseph Labo, a prominent florist of Joliet. The child was last seen Monday afternoon. While the parents were visiting in Chicago the child left the boy to his own devices and he disappeared.

## Moor Kills a Frenchman.

Melilla, Morocco, March 8.—E. Mangin, the chief of the French military mission at Pez, was killed by the son of the Moorish minister of war because the French officer had caused the execution of two native soldiers.



What famous Trojan hero?

The handiest thing on your desk—a scratch pad. Good big block for \$5 at Gazette office.

## HER QUALITIES.



Julia (discussing the latest dance)—Ahl my boy, who is as bright as the morning.  
Hinks—That's strange. I heard she was as plain as day.

## SHE STARTS THEM.



Dick—There's one thing about Louise—she never repeats stories about her women friends.  
Ethel—Repeat! No, indeed; who starts them.

## Auspicious.

Ted—Has the girl's mother intimated that she favors your suit?  
Ned—Not exactly, but when we all go out in their motor car she always lets us sit together in the back seat.  
—Puck.

## Too Young for That.

Uncle Charles (looking over the school report of 6-year-old Ted)—Ted, what did you get in deportment this month, you little rascal of a nephew?  
Ted—I'm not taking that yet.—Woman's Home Companion.

## Spring Humors

Come to most people and cause many troubles—rashes, boils and other eruptions, besides loss of appetite, that tired feeling, biliousness, indigestion and headache.

The sooner you get rid of them the better, and the way to get rid of them and to build up the system is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Spring Medicine par excellence as shown by unequalled, radical and permanent cures. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs.

## SPITEFUL THING.

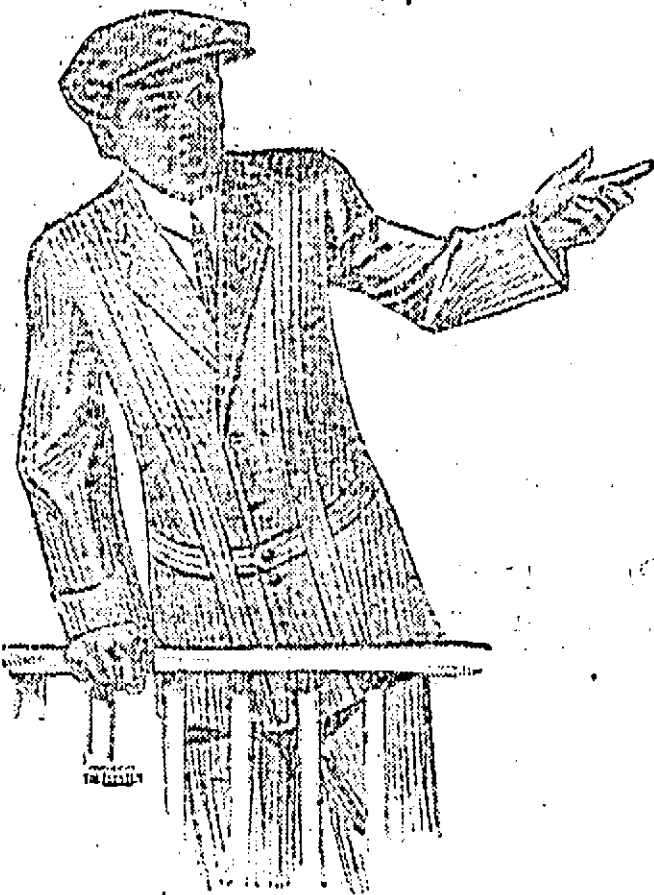


Miss Port—Ever since I refused Tom two weeks ago he hasn't been sober a day.  
Miss Chastique—Not tired celebrating, eh?

## ENVY.



Youthful Admirer—What! don't you know who that is? Why, it's Field Marshal Brigadier-Commandant Hector Hercules Hamfist of the 'Boy Scouts'!



A strikingly fashionable model, radiating the originality of THE L SYSTEM style features. Note the general air of freedom and "class" that the lines of the coat carry with them. This model will be one of the best and most exclusive that you will have the opportunity of seeing this season, and it is a glowing example of the care that we demand on style details.

## The Golden Eagle

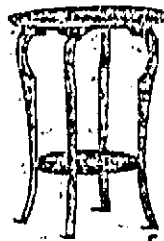
## Ashcraft's Annual March CLEARANCE SALE of FURNITURE

The finest articles are embraced in this sale. They cover three broad floors, and offer money saving opportunities throughout.



## Center Tables, Library Tables, Combination Bookcases, Pedestals and Stands

Now is the time to buy if you are going to purchase any time within the next six months. Goods purchased now will be reserved for future delivery if desired. Pedestals, at \$1.50 up Center Tables, each, \$1.50



## Combination Bookcases, prices as follows, all reduced

\$33.00 VALUE	\$25.00
\$28.00 VALUE	\$22.00
\$26.00 VALUE AT	\$20.00
\$23.00 VALUE AT	\$17.50
\$17.00 VALUE AT	\$13.00
\$16.00 VALUE AT	\$12.00

PROMPT DELIVERIES.

## W. H. ASHCRAFT

Furniture and Undertaking

104 W. Milwaukee St.

Both Phones

## Are you the Hostess?

GIVE your guest **Big Jo Bread**. Make no apology for none is needed. Explain afterwards if you like. The difference between bread and **Big Jo Bread** is the quality and the price. The price is more—just as the quality is far better.

**Big Jo Bread** is made cleanly and pure with as much care as you would use. It is delivered to you in a cleanly manner. It reaches you pure, sweet, moist and clean. The wrapper around each loaf will keep the bread moist for 48 hours.

Try a loaf, you'll find it the best bread you ever tasted; From soup to nuts it's better with **Big Jo Bread**. Your guests will appreciate it. **Big Jo Bread**—you'll know it by the crisp—10c a loaf—all grocers.

**Bennison & Lane Co.**  
Pure Food Bakers

## F. J. BAILEY &amp; SON

Successors to BORT, BAILEY & CO.

## For Your Easter Gown

The most important feature of the Easter gown or suit is the correct foundation. Be fitted to a Gossard Corset and thus attain the fashionable figure which is essential for the new lines in Spring modes—straight hips, flat back and low bust—these are imperative.

Short coats, ending at the hip line, have caused tailors to demand a corset that eliminates all superfluous flesh at the bottom of the corset in the back.

It would be difficult indeed to conform to this season's styles in gowning without recourse to a Gossard Corset—the short coats make the Gossard an absolute necessity—no long coats this season, remember, to hide the unsightly ridges of the back laced corset. Gossard Corsets, lacing in front and being closed in the back, give the most exquisite line to the back—not a break to mar the beauty of the semi-fitting coats. The sublime comfort of

**THE Gossard CORSETS**  
"They Lace In Front"

can only be appreciated by wearing one. The figure not only assumes the natural easy grace of the unrestricted figure but it FEELS free from restriction. Gossard Corsets lace in front and clasp at the side of the lacing, therefore being easily adjusted and removed. There is no French corset today to compare with them—assuredly no American Corset.

New Spring models shown in a charming variety of fabrics ranging in price from \$3.50 up to \$10.00.

Our corsetiere has been trained by representatives of the Gossard factory and assures entire satisfaction.

Have your fitting now and avoid the greater rush which will ensue later in the month. Appointments may be made by telephone for fittings in your own home when desired.



Model 105 is designed for the average figure requiring slight suppression below the waist, imparts a straight hip, perceptibly flattens the back beneath the hip and gives the desired close appearance without discomfort. The bust is low and the back also gracefully between the shoulder. Bustle, \$5.00. 361, Bustle, \$3.50.



# J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

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## Spring May Not Be Here, But the Necessity of Getting Ready For Spring is an Uppermost Thought in Most People's Minds

The Big Store IS a Big Store, which fact is doubly apparent when so many departments are clamoring for a representation in the advertising columns. We will not try to cover many sections today. It will pay you to study this announcement carefully. Something going on up stairs and on main floor.

### Special Embroidery Sale

Thursday March 9      Friday March 10      Saturday March 11

### A Sale Including Over 10,000 Yards of the Newest 1911 Designs

You will be glad to know of this, we're sure. Every woman who has attended one of our Embroidery sales in the past will be glad to know when we are going to hold another. Never did a sale of these beautiful embroideries come at a more opportune time than now, when preparations are being made for the making of spring and summer wash dresses, graduation and confirmation frocks. Besides their effective use for these trimming purposes, there are also many other trimming purposes for which they are most desirable.

You can supply almost every desire for embroideries at this sale at truly surprising savings.

### Embroidery Sale in the South Store

AT 5c—This lot consists of Edges and Insertions, 1 to 3 inches wide, in a nice line of patterns. Special, yd. 5c.

AT 8c—Cambric and Swiss Embroidery and Insertion, 1 to 4 inches wide, in good open-work patterns, also some matched sets in this lot; values worth up to 12½c yard; in this sale, yard 8c.

AT 10c—In this lot you will find some great values. Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Edges and Insertions, 1½ to 6 inches wide. Excellent quality and handsome patterns. There are quite a number of matched sets in this lot. Very special, 10c.



AT 12½c—Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Embroidery and Insertions, 2 to 10 inches wide, floral and open-work patterns; an endless variety to select from; also a big line of edges and insertions to match in this lot; well worth 20c yard. This sale, yard 12½c.

AT 15c—Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroidery and Insertion, 2 to 12 inches wide, floral and eyelet designs, in good open-work patterns. Big assortment to select from. In this lot you will find some beautiful matched sets; values worth up to 25c yard. For this sale, yard 15c.

AT 20c—This lot consists of Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Edges and Insertions; also Flouncings, 3 to 17 inches wide; floral, eyelet and blind designs; extraordinary values. Sale price, yard 20c.

AT 25c—Beautiful Flouncings of cambric and Swiss, also Corset Cover Embroidery. Handsome line of patterns to select from, worth up to 35c yard. They all go at this sale, yard 25c.

ALLOVER EMBROIDERY, 45 inches wide, blind and eyelet designs, embroidered on extra fine swiss; brought out for spring and summer of 1911. Very handsome, yard \$3.50 and \$3.00.

Extra fine plain Swiss by the yard to match above sets, 45 inches wide, per yard 75c and 50c.

BEAUTIFUL BATISTE FLOUNCINGS, 27 inches wide, combination of embroidery and lace in the Baby Irish effect. Embroidery work 10 inches deep. This season's choicest patterns, at yard \$2.25, \$1.75, \$1.50 and \$1.25.

We have a full line of Insertions and Gallons to match above flouncings.

SWISS EMBROIDERY MATCHED SETS 45 inches wide, flouncings in beautiful eyelet and floral designs, work 27 inches deep, yd. \$2.50 and \$1.50.

Insertions and Gallons to match, 3½ inches wide, per yard 75c.

ALLOVER EMBROIDERY in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, 22 inches wide; blind and eyelet work; nice line of patterns to select from. Per yd., \$1.00 to \$2.00.

HANDSOME GALLONS AND INSERTIONS, combination of lace and embroidery, in Baby Irish effect, on very fine batiste. A yard 50c to \$1.25.

SWISS EMBROIDERY MATCHED SETS 27 inches wide, flouncings in floral, eyelet and blind work designs on fine swiss. Handsome line of patterns to select from. Yard 65c to \$2.00.

Insertions and Gallons to match, 2 to 3 inches wide, yard 25c to \$1.25.

that equals the quality of the Whittall Anglo-Persian. New colors, new designs. They must be seen to be appreciated.

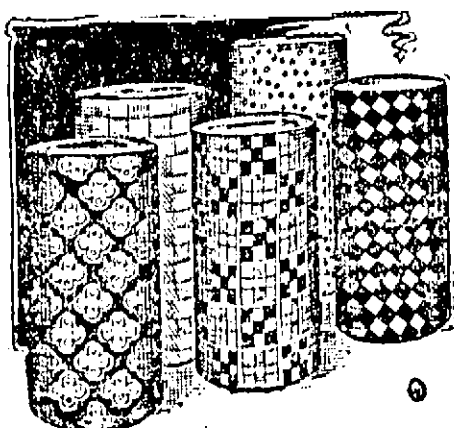
Ask for booklet, Oriental Art in American Rugs. It is free for the asking.

### Burmah and Melrose Rugs

The best and most up-to-date popular priced rug on the American market. Some of the best ideas and swell styles are to be seen in these fabrics. Two-tone effects, brown, green, conventional, mission effects, in fact everything is here in these rugs that is new and desirable. All sizes from 6x8 to 15x15. Prices \$6.00 to \$20.00. This season these rugs also come in small sizes, 18x36 inch, 50c. 27x54 inch, \$1.25. 33x60 inch, \$1.85.

### Linoleums and Oil Cloths

See the window display. New imported and domestic goods, in latest patterns, inlaid floor effects, mosaics, tiles, conventional and



floral patterns, in Oilcloths, Figured Linoleums, Granites, Parquette Inlaid, Inlaid Tiles, Battleship, also plain linoleums. A large, well assorted stock. Widths 1, 1½, 2, 2½, 3 and 4 yards. Prices 25c to \$1.75 square yard.

See the many new things in the Silk department.

### A Magnificent Showing of Spring Dress Goods

Highest Quality  
Largest Variety  
Lowest Prices

Our Dress Goods line this season is better than ever and if you are a patron of The Big Store you know what that means—a MAGNIFICENT SHOWING of all the latest fabrics and desirable weaves. Our ability to serve you in an exceptional way in this important department is easily understood by those acquainted with our methods of merchandising. Remember, that in dealing direct with the manufacturers, buying in enormous quantities, makes it possible for us to control both quality and price. Some of the best

American mills such as the celebrated Broadhead Worsted Mill and the Jamestown Worsted Mills together with some of the best foreign mills are represented in our stock. We have endeavored to state clearly just what the Endowed Dress Goods are with nothing exaggerated. As to values, a simple comparison of our goods with those of equal value secured elsewhere will convince the most skeptical.

Numbers marked "SPECIAL" are particularly good for the prices asked.

42-IN. TUSSAH PREMIERE \$1.00  
Brilliant in appearance yet beautifully supple. Made from the finest worsted and mohair yarns; will make exquisite dresses for street wear. This extensive range of colors: new blue, champagne, French grey, reseda, helle, new brown, navy, and black. 42 in. wide, our price \$1.00. (Special.)

44-IN. SILK VOIL \$1.50  
Is one of the charming creations that meet with universal favor. Made from very fine spun, firm, round yarn, is beautifully sheer and light and is remarkably strong; will make very dressy gowns when over taffetas or satins. A good range of colors. 44 in. wide, our price \$1.50.

39-IN. STRIPED WORSTED SUITING 50c

This cloth has a pencil stripe and is constructed of very fine yarns, will make most durable and stylish dresses or separate skirts, yet inexpensive. It is equally desirable for children's dresses as it will resist dust and wear well. These colors: navy, national blue, brown, greys, black and cream. 38 in. to 39 in. wide, our price 50c. (Special.)

FRENCH AND STORM SERGES  
Serges for spring and summer wear will be more popular than ever. We offer superior quality in a wide variety of colorings, ranging in price from 50c to \$1.50 per yard.

42-IN. MOHAIR BRILLIANTINE 50c  
Made from selected yarns, with a lustrous silky appearance, will give long wear and shed dust readily. These colors to select from: brown, pearl grey, green, navy, and black. Width 42 in., our price 50c. (Special.)

40-IN. COLLINGDALE \$1.00  
Made from the finest yarns, firmly woven, excellent finish, and will make the most elegant dresses, suits or separate skirts. Comes in these prevailing colors: grey, navy and black. 40 in. wide, our price \$1.00.

42-IN. RESILLE DIAGONAL \$1.25  
Is one of the prettiest materials we are showing for spring and summer wear, is woven throughout with pure wool and has a superb finish and will make exquisite dresses or separate skirts. These colors: apricot, cyclamen, reseda, golden brown, and new rose. 42 in. wide, our price \$1.25.

We have also an extensive range of Cream and Black Dress Goods too numerous to mention in detail.

FANCY CREAM SERGES  
A large variety in cream serge suitings in plain, striped, and checked effects. These make very effective and stylish suits, dresses or separate skirts. Prices range from 50c to \$2.00 per yard.

### UNDERMUSLIN SPECIALS

One lot of women's Cambric Drawers, open style, trimmed in Val lace and insertion, regular price 98c, special for this sale 39c.

Women's Crepe Slipover Gowns, the kind that don't need any ironing, trimmed in Torchon lace and ribbon, regular \$1.50 value, very special \$1.35.

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### PETTICOAT SPECIAL

Women's black and white stripe Petticoats with 18 inch flounce, trimmed with

54-IN. HERRINGBONE TWILL SUITING \$1.50. (Shower proof.)  
A cloth woven from very fine wool. The yarns are hard twisted which insures a firm, closely woven cloth of great dust resisting qualities. Will make excellent coats, suits or separate skirts. Comes in grey, tan and navy. 54 in. wide, price \$1.50.



42-IN. WOOL TAFFETA \$1.00

An imported cloth, strictly all wool, very firmly and evenly woven, will make very pretty dresses or separate skirts. A beautiful range of colors: tan, silver, gendarme, aubergine (dark purple), argent (gray), navy, bordeaux, wood brown, and black. 42 in. wide, our price \$1.00.

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A very attractive cloth, strictly all wool, very firmly and evenly woven, and has a shadow stripe; will make most stylish and durable dress or separate skirts. These colors: navy, cythare (rose family) and water-green. 43 in. wide, our price \$1.50.

SHEPHERD CHECKS.  
These will be more popular than ever this season as there

is a growing demand for check effects in such combinations as black and white, blue, brown, grey, and tan checks, of which we have a large assortment. Prices range from 50c to \$1.50 per yard.

BLACK VOILES  
These are especially adapted for dresses or separate skirts, are made from special yarns, and possessing draping and wearing qualities that are unexcelled. The true voile is exemplified in the famous "Voiliron" (black only) 50 in. wide, price \$1.50. Other rare values, 45 in. wide, at \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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A cloth having a very rich finish, very firm face, is spot proof, sponged and shrunk, ready for the needle; is desirable for coats, capes, skirts, or whole suits. A very extensive range of colors to select from. 52 in. wide, our price \$2.00.

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### PRIESTLEY'S DRESS GOODS

We carry a large assortment of Priestley's "Cravenette" Dress Goods and are very desirable for coats, separate skirts, or whole suits. They are:

56 in. English Gabardine (tan), \$2.50 per yard.

54 in. Cravenette Covert (greys), \$2.00.

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"Rain will neither spot nor wrinkle them." 44 in., Fancy Mohair (grey), \$1.25.

black sateen bands; regular \$1.35 value, special 89c.

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One lot of women's one-piece Percalé House Dresses, in dots and checks, made of good quality percale, worth \$2.25, special sale price 98c.

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Women's long sleeve and low neck Vests, silktrine, regular \$2.00 value, special \$1.50

Women's medium weight Vests and Pants, open style, all sizes, 4 to 9, special 23c.

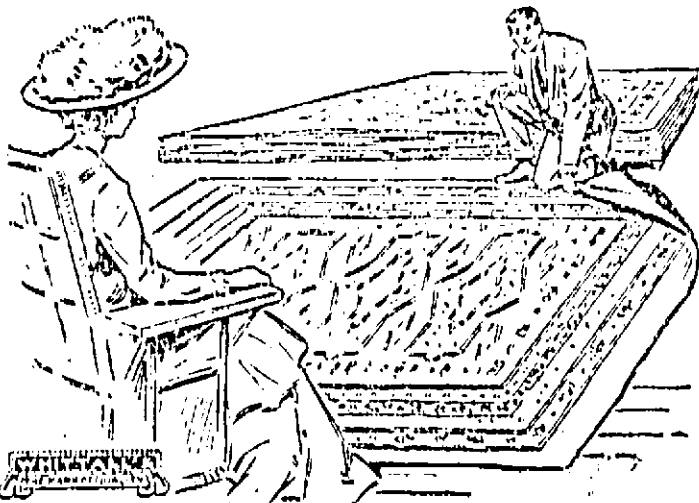
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We wish to emphasize this point, that we have been demonstrating to our customers of Janesville and Southern Wisconsin, our ability to furnish rugs and carpets of quality at prices less than you can buy them elsewhere.

We have made extensive preparation for carrying out this policy and shall again demonstrate that it pays to buy your floor coverings at The Big Store, where you are assured the lowest possible prices, at the same time knowing that the high standard of quality is fully maintained.



### Body Brussels Rugs

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Two of the finest Wilton rugs made in the world. There is no French Wilton rug made

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Brussels Rugs, all sizes, 6x9, 7-6x9, 8-3x10-6, 9x12, 10-6x13-6, 11-3x12, \$6.50 to \$25.00.

Velvet Rugs, 18x30 inches, 27x54, 36x72, 6x9, 7-6x9, 8-3x10-6, 9x12, 11-3x12, 95c to \$27.50.

Axminster Rugs, all sizes in stock, from 22½x36 inch to largest room size, \$1.50 to \$35.00.



# WOMAN'S PAGE

## The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON.

THE friends then had their adoption tried. Grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel? —Shakespeare. "For his friend is another self." —Aristotle.

If you heard that a friend of yours—not an acquaintance, not a "speech friend," as one of our cleverest word colliers has so aptly called that vast outer circle of our associates, but a real FRIEND with all that word ought to convey—had said or done some unkind thing against you which you would have been incapable of, if the case were reversed, what would you do?



Would you say, "My friend has done this thing. Therefore he cannot be what I thought he was?" Or would you place your belief in your friend's character above your belief in appearances and say, "The story must be false. My friend is incapable of such a thing?"

One of my young girl friends came to me the other day wretched and unhappy and almost sick because she had heard that a friend of her's whom she loved almost as a sister had tried to prevent her election to a certain club.

"My dear," I said, after she had poured out her tale of woe. "Tell me something. Would you have done this to her?"

The little lady's big blue eyes opened wide in amazement at such a question.

"Why, you KNOW I couldn't possibly, Miss Cameron," she retorted.

"Very well," I said, "Then I think you are insulting your friend. You have so little faith in her that you believe she would do a mean thing that you yourself are absolutely incapable of."

The little lady thought it over a minute. "That isn't a very fair thing to do, is it?" she asked.

And yet how many of us do that same thing.

That is—suspect our friends of meanness and unkindness of which we believe ourselves quite incapable.

Seems to me that's correct as well as unfair.

Why should we think ourselves so much better than the rest of the world that we should be ready to believe our standard of conduct higher than theirs?

It seems to me that any fair-minded person owes it to his sense of justice to do two things in regard to any evil report that he hears of his friend.

First let him say, "I will not believe my friend guilty of anything that I myself am incapable of."

Secondly, instead of intrenching himself in an atmosphere of constraint and unsuspected reproach as regards that friend, let him go straight to him and say, "My friend, I have heard something about you that I cannot believe. Will you confirm my belief in you by denying this rumor?"

If people would follow these two rules I have no doubt that nine out of ten misunderstandings would be still-born.

set purpose. They have it demonstrated to them many times in the course of a year, both among men of their own calling and among their patients.

Katherine Kip

## The Kitchen Cabinet



Our mothers used to spin the flax. Our fathers used to raise the corn. And make the garments that they wore for work and holidays.

The spinning wheel is dusty now. Nor half as stout, I ween, Are coats and vests and breeches now. We make 'em by machine.

### Liquid Foods.

Often the liquid diet must be strictly maintained in food for the invalid. A variety of liquid foods are necessary to know how to prepare to avoid monotony.

Often the person who objects to milk will take illuminated milk, or by giving it a little sparkle with Apollinaris water, it will be taken with enjoyment.

Barley water and rice water are often given to reduce a laxative condition, barley water having the preference.

Toast water is very beneficial in cases of nausea, and clam water may often be retained when other foods cannot be retained in the stomach.

Clam water and cocoa are also used to increase a secretion of mother's milk.

Outmeal water is often given to dyspeptics. It is the old-fashioned drink for a hot summer day, as it may be drunk with safety where ice water would be injurious.

The juices of fruits diluted with cold or hot water are often used in illness for a fever patient. The diluted juices are most beneficial, as they are cooling and mildly stimulating. They are valuable, also, for the salts and acids they contain. Lemons are a fruit most commonly used, as they are always in the market.

Beef essence is given when a condensed form of food is necessary. To prepare it: Wipe a half pound of round steak out three-fourths of an inch thick, and place it in a heated broiler. Broil three minutes over a clear fire, turning every two seconds to prevent the escape of the juices. Put on a hot plate and cut in half-inch pieces, wash the pieces several times on each side, then squeeze with a fruit press to get all the juice, and turn into a cup set in hot water. Season with salt. Use care that the juices do not get too hot or they will coagulate.

Nellie Maxwell.

Improvements on Old Sayings. "Never do things by halves," unless you open oysters. Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well. Let your motto be "Excelior!" Single out some specialty for which you have genius, then devote yourself to it thoroughly, and you won't have to look for a job, the job will be looking for you. The most brilliant men are often lamentable failures. Be thorough! Stick like the postage stamp—(All you get there. Dogged does it.

His Efforts Wasted. Lecturer on Art—"Before I sit down I shall be happy to answer any questions that any of you may wish to ask." (Gentleman—(in audience)—"I have enjoyed the lecture much, sir, and have understood it all except a few technical terms. Will you please tell me what you mean by the words perspective, fresco, and michele-ange-lo?" (Lecturer sits down discouraged.)—Chicago Tribune.

Its Nature. "What do you think of the open quarrel between those two actresses over the best dressing room?" "Strange, that is open." "Why strange?" "Because it is a regular star chamber proceeding."

The Religious Life. A religious life is not a thing which spends itself like a bright bubble on the river's surface. It is rather like the river itself, which widens continually and is never so broad or deep as where it rolls into the ocean of eternity.—Hoeber.

The Traveler's Dilemma. "You know," she said to him, "you're not at all like the other traveling men I've met." "Is that so?" he asked. "And why?" "Well, you're the first one that hasn't told me how tired he gets of hotel cooking."

## DERMA VIVA, THE IDEAL FACE POWDER

Makes face, hands, arms and neck as white as milk and does not show or rub off. Pimples, Blackheads, Freckles, Moth or Liver spots cured in a few days. Have handled this preparation for years and recommend it. Baker & Son, P. Rico 50c.

## Daily Science Talk

By FREDERIC CAMPBELL, President Department of Astronomy, Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.

### FARTHEST NORTH.

In 1805 Nansen reached his farthest north, on April 7—namely, 86 degrees 14 minutes. In 1891, April 21, Peary reached his farthest north up to that time—87 degrees 6 minutes. On Jan. 6, 1898, Shackleton reached his farthest north—88 degrees 23 minutes, being 111 miles from the south pole, nearer than other pole had been approached up to that time. On April 6, 1899, Peary reached the north pole. There is no going any farther in that direction.

Many have thought that polar discovery must prove fruitless, but it is making many important contributions to science. While in the immediate vicinity of either pole, within a very large circle, conditions will doubtless ever remain unfriendly to human settlement, yet far beyond that narrow strip of Canada bordering on the United States astonishing possibilities in agriculture are being uncovered.

The Dominion government has located an experimental farm at Port Vermilion, latitude 58 degrees 30 minutes, where, just fourteen miles south of the Arctic circle, there has been good success in raising oats, potatoes, tomatoes, cauliflower, strawberries, raspberries and cranberries.

So far north, Port Vermilion is also 1,000 feet above the sea, where the water temperature falls to 50 degrees



### NEW AGRICULTURAL COUNTRY.

below zero and the ground freezes to a depth of ten feet. Yet ninety-four days ripened Russian wheat, of which 20,000 bushels were raised. The success of these tests draws attention to the 45,000,000 acres of land lying unutilized in that region, 20,000,000 of which are ready to be immediately broken without felling a tree.

Not 15,000,000 acres are cultivated in western Canada as yet. It is thought that as our city population increases the United States will have less and less grain for export, and these millions of acres far northward will then be in demand.

### Trout for British Colonies.

Britishers are the first colonizing race and the most resolute sportsmen in the world, so that it was natural that British colonial waters should have been the first scenes of experiment in artificial propagation of fish. Trout have been established in the streams of Kashmir, the Nilgeries and Ceylon, and of New Zealand.

### Curing by Sympathetic Magic.

"A friend of mine came across a native sitting in the veranda of a house from which groans proceeded," Mr. E. Thurston stated at the British Royal Society of Arts in a lecture on the natives of southern India. "He learned that the man's wife was sitting on a swing studded with sharp nails in order to cure him by sympathetic magic of some trifling ailment."

### India Victims of Tigers.

The ferocity of the tiger can be seen from the fact that according to a recent writer he is made responsible for 37 per cent. of the human beings killed by the wild animals of Hindustan. The writer adds that once a tiger has tasted human flesh he is satisfied with nothing else, and that in southern India one of these man-eating tigers has devoured 200 human beings.

### Russian Legal Regulations.

Twelve hours, with two hours' rest, is the legal laboring day at Odessa, Russia. Workers under 17 must go to school for three hours daily. Christians are not required to work on Sundays or feast days, nor Mohammedans on their religious holidays. Those who have to work on Sundays have the next day for rest.

### Hollanders Heavily Taxed.

All told, a Hollander pays about 12 per cent. of his yearly income for taxes. He is taxed for his business income, for the interest he collects, on his house rent, his furniture, on six fireplaces and all the stoves in the house he rents or owns, on his horses, bicycle and servants. On an income of \$2,400 a year he pays \$298.

### Bath Tub Cleanliness.

Whether the bath tub be made of porcelain, enamel, iron or zinc, it should be kept bright and smooth. A solution of Gold Dust washing powder and warm water will quickly remove any vestige of dirt and if any rough places or dark spots appear, these can be easily removed by sprinkling a little of the Gold Dust powder on a cloth and rubbing briskly. The water basin and rubber closets may be kept perfectly white if thoroughly washed with Gold Dust once a week. The use of Gold Dust washing powder is a protection against disease and odors. It cleans the drain pipes thoroughly.

### A Glimmer of the Truth.

Asked to write a report of a lecture on "Phases of Human Life—Youth, Manhood and Old Age," a young English girl produced: "In youth we look forward to the wicked things we will do when we grow up—this is the state of innocence. In manhood we do the wicked things of which we thought in our youth—this is the prime of life. In old age we are sorry for the wicked things we did in manhood—this is the time of our atonement."

### Guarding Against Earthquakes.

All great cities have stimulated the creative faculty of mankind, and earthquakes have, of course, earned a full share of attention. The most original notion in this connection was put forth by a genius who quite satisfied himself that if houses were provided with wheels or rollers they would move about backwards and forwards during an earthquake and escape disaster.

## Cream Cake

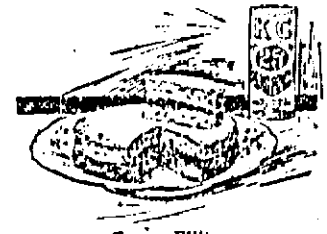
Makes You Hungry to Look at It

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

When company arrives unexpectedly, this cream cake often covers an otherwise embarrassing situation, for it answers the place of any other dessert as it can be turned up quickly.

### K C Cream Cake

One-half cup butter; 1 cup sugar; yolks of 2 eggs, beaten light; 1/4 cups sifted flour; 2 level teaspoons K C baking powder; 1/2 cup cold water; whites of 2 eggs, beaten dry. Cream the butter; add the sugar, yolks of eggs and water; then the flour, sifted three times with the baking powder; lastly the whites of eggs. Bake in two or three layers; put these together with cream filling, and dredge the top with confectioner's sugar.



### Cream Filling

One-fourth cup sifted flour; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 1 cup hot milk; 1 egg, beaten light; 1/2 cup sugar; 1 teaspoonful vanilla extract; 1 ounce chocolate.

Mix flour and salt with a very little cold milk; stir into the hot milk and cook ten minutes; add the chocolate and stir until it is melted and evenly blended with the flour mixture, then beat in the egg mixed with the sugar, and lastly the vanilla.

You need the K C Cook's Book, containing this and 89 other delicious recipes—sent free upon receipt of the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder. Send to the J. C. C. Co., Chicago.



## Finest Quality Hair Goods

The very best made. Prices are as low as consistent with just a fair profit. New lot of these goods just in today. Call and see them.

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A new remedy for rheumatism, compounded by the American Drug and Press Association from a special formula discovered by its chemists—Meritol Rheumatism Powder—easy to take, certain in results. A boon to every sufferer. Offered at the best known remedy for rheumatism in all its forms. Recommended by physicians and all who have tried it. For sale by Reliable Drug Co., Drugs.

### Would Have to Take Roots and All.

She went into a Fifth Avenue hair-dresser's shop to have her hair shampooed. She wore her hair in a Psyche knot. The shampooer seemed to be a trifle rough, and finally her tugs at the Psyche knot became so forceful that the woman in the chair cried out in pain. "What are you trying to do; pull my head off?" she exclaimed. "I am trying to get your Psyche knot off," replied the shampooer, "but it won't come. How did you ever get it placed on so firmly?" The customer almost shrieked: "Come off! Why, it's my own hair!"—N. Y. Tribune.

Big Rock Co. Map Free. Rock County Map Free to those who pay one year in advance to The Daily Gazette. Map is 22x34 inches.

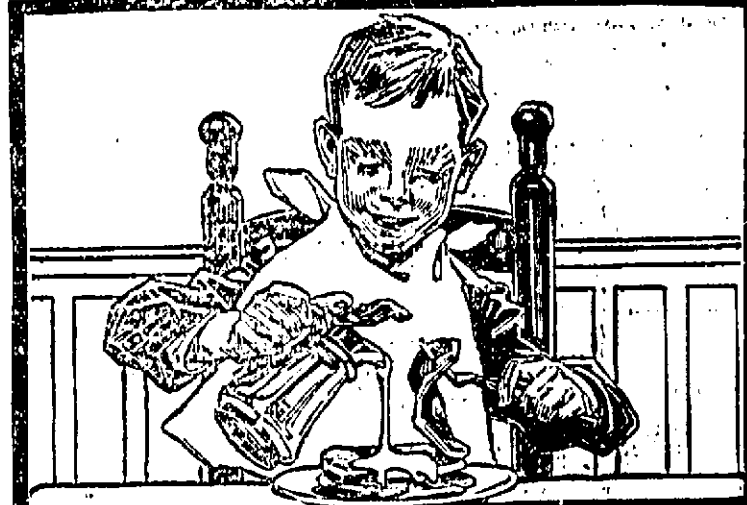
## For the Stomach

Here's an Offer You Should Not Overlook.

Reckall Dyspepsia Tablets remedy stomach troubles by supplying the one element, the absence of which in the gastric juices causes indigestion and dyspepsia. They aid the stomach to digest food and to quickly convert it into rich red blood and material necessary for overhauling natural body waste.

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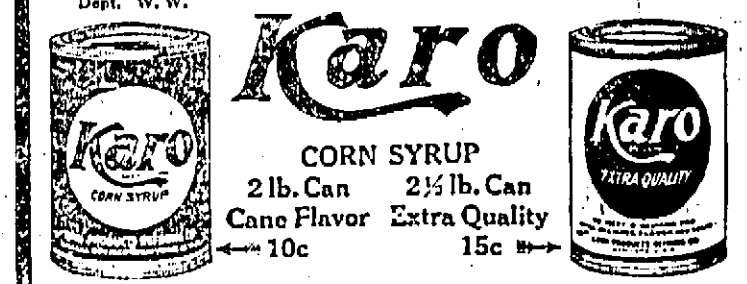
Sixty million cans of Karo Corn Syrup were sold last year.

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Have you tried the new Karo Corn Syrup (Extra Quality)? It is clear as strained honey and more delicate in flavor, an ideal syrup to spread on bread and for home candy-making.

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BRIDE-ELECT A WASHINGTON FAVORITE. MISS CECILIA MAY.

Washington, D. C.—Much interest has been aroused over the announcement of the engagement of Miss Cecilia May of this city to Robert Lowe Bacon, Harvard, '07, son of the ambassador to France.

Miss May is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Henry May and is a great favorite in the exclusive circles of Washington for her beauty and charm of manner.

Robert Lowe Bacon, who is the eldest son of Robert Bacon, is at present private secretary to Dr. A. M. Platt, Andrew, assistant secretary of the treasury. By his entrance into public life he is thus once again following his father's footsteps. Mr. Bacon, 26, was a member of the Harvard class of '08. In '78 and '79 he played on the "varsity" football team and in '78 and '80 he rowed on the "varsity" crew.

The younger Bacon inherited a strong body and a well-developed taste for athletics. Born in Boston, July 23, 1881, he was graduated from Groton in 1897 and then entered Harvard. In his freshman year he was a member of his class football squad and captain of the class crew. The next year he rowed in 4 on the crew that defeated Yale and raced Oxford. Finally, in his senior year—for he completed his course in three years—he was "varsity" crew captain.

Socially, too, he was prominent. He was selected chairman of the senior class committee and was a member of the institute of 1879, D. E. 12, Hasty Pudding, Skunk, Sphinx and A. D. club. He also entered the Harvard law school and was graduated last year.

His fidelity to duty—his long years of toil and study and faith in the thing he was trying to do. That's all, but it is a great deal to the man who is endeavoring to succeed in any line of action.

The story is told of a young author that he was so precise and particular about the quality of his work that he wrote a story of many hundred thousand words, all because its craftsmanship did not suit him or he thought he could present his message in a more attractive manner. Any wonder that man won a place in the world of letters and was rapidly acquiring one that would have assured his fame for all time to come?

Part of this man's religion was that his talent for writing had been given him for the benefit of his fellows and that it was his duty to use it to the best possible advantage. Again, fidelity to duty.

No lot of men in the world understands this necessary quality better than successful physicians and surgeons. Never a successful operation is performed but it represents not the flesh of the genius of the man who laid the scalpel, but the patient's will, the mastery of fact and an almost superhuman devotion that is the result of hours of study and reflection—and hard work.

And no lot of men understands so well the value of this thing—fidelity to duty—the subordination of self and selfish inclinations to the mastery of the thing one has undertaken as the work. The men understand the power and the influence of fidelity and of a

## The Katherine Kip Editorial

### FIDELITY TO DUTY.

"Well, he's a lucky man!" You've heard that expression many a time about some man who had succeeded in landing in a good position or in winning something else the world counts valuable. But have you ever thought of all that went before that success?

As a rule back of every bit of material success in this world there is a story of hard work and of many disappointments. Of days of toil and nights of worry—sometimes days and nights of toil. For no royal road to success has yet been discovered any more than one has been found to knowledge.

Back of every successful career there must be fidelity to duty. There must be an unswerving loyalty to the thing undertaken and a devotion to its interest that knows no abatement.

Suddenly across the path of the scientific world there falls the shadow of a new luminary—a man who has achieved some great thing that is a benefit to the world. Men proclaim him a genius—a wonder, a marvel, a lucky fellow. Not a bit of it! He is a genius because he has worked. A marvel because he has made his work count big. A lucky fellow because the rewards of achievement are in his grasp.

But this recognition is the result of



## MAY ACCEPT BID TO BUILD ARCH BRIDGE AT RACINE STREET

Street Assessment Committee Will Consider Bid of Illinois Bridge Co. For Concrete Bridge.

A concrete arch bridge over Rock river at Racine street is a possibility, providing the street assessment committee sees fit to accept the bid of the Illinois Bridge company to build the structure. Of the bids opened yesterday, the one from this company was retained for further consideration while certified checks of a number of other concerns for a steel bridge were returned. The Illinois company's bid was the lowest of two bids for a concrete bridge, the other bid being more than the appropriation made by the council. For the bridge complete this year, the company offered to do the work for \$15,388. Under plan B, which calls for the construction of the bridge without putting in the pavement until the filling has been given a chance to settle, the company made a bid of \$14,922.

## SWISS RIFLE CLUB MAKE PREPARATIONS

Two Hundred Outside Shooters Will Be Present At Monroe Tournam. (Special to the Gazette.)

Monroe, March 8.—Elaborate preparations are being made by the Swiss Rifle club of this city, for the eighth bi-annual tournament of the Central Schuetzenbund, which will be held here four days, from July 12th to 16th, prizes aggregating from \$2,500 to \$12,000 will be hung up. A delegation of two hundred active outside shooters, accompanied by visitors, will be here for the event and the states of Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa, Colorado, and Missouri will be represented. Both the Central Rifle club and the Swiss Rifle club, of St. Louis, will be numbered among the visiting teams.

There are eighteen societies in the Central Schuetzenbund, located at different places between the Rock and Allegheny mountains.

The various contests will be held on the Swiss Rifle club's range north of the city.

**Anniversary Celebrated.**

The 27th anniversary of the local order of Knights of Pythias was celebrated in K. P. hall, the Knights with friends numbering nearly three hundred. The lodge room was bedecked with the colors of the fraternity and flags and bunting were prominently displayed. A fine program of vocal readings, an orchestra selection, and later refreshments followed by dancing and card playing helped to round out a delightful evening.

**Schneiderger-Reber.**

Mrs. Lillian Schneiderger, of Switzerland, and John Reber of Wisconsin were married here yesterday afternoon by Rev. P. A. Schell. They will make their future home on a farm near Winslow.

**Personal.**

Mrs. P. J. Weirich and Mrs. A. P. Rute returned last evening from Broadland. Mrs. Rute lectured in the library there in the afternoon before the two study clubs and the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Edward Beneston of Freeport, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoehn.

Miss Grace Miller and Ida Gorman are spending several days in Chicago.

## FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN TO LEYDEN COUPLE ON OCCASION OF DEPARTURE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simons' Home Scene of Merry Party Preceding Removal to Janesville. (Special to the Gazette.)

Leyden, March 4.—Last Thursday evening about sixty relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simons gathered at their spacious home in the town of Leyden and gave them a farewell party. The evening was spent in dancing and card playing. An orchestra from Janesville furnished the music for dancing. At midnight dainty refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Simons have sold their farm and expect to reside in Janesville. Their many friends regret their departure from this community.

## MILTON VILLAGE SHOWS INCREASED POPULATION IN LAST FIVE YEARS

Population Has Been Announced of Village Incorporated Since 1905 As 833.

Milton village, incorporated from the town of Milton in 1905, has grown from a population of 810 in 1905, to 833 according to the last census figures, made public at Washington on Tuesday. Its incorporation from the town of Milton occurred seven years ago and a healthy growth has been the result.

## UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

GENTS—Eugene Deole, Leon Bennett, E. E. Decker, Mr. Cammellack, Stramaglia Columbia, R. H. Ferguson, Patrick Goodman, H. J. Grohler, Johan Jeorg, John Kully, Ralph Leonard, Guy Randall, A. D. Reimann, J. Singleton, Lorin Strong, G. C. Walter, Raymond Walker, Thos. C. Weston, M. N. Volant.

LADIES—Mrs. Pearl Bailey (2), Miss Ida Bell, Miss Francis Doby, Anna Edwards, Miss Paul Ebel, Miss Lottie Hackett, Miss Odella Jacques, Mrs. Hugh Lee, Miss Marie Monson, Miss Maude Morhouse, Miss Lucy Perkins, Miss Anna Rhan, Mrs. D. M. Scott, Mrs. William Whittier.

## HIGH SCHOOL HAS SCHEDULED CONTEST

March 31 is Date Set for Annual Declamatory Contest of Evansville High School. (Special to the Gazette.)

Evansville, March 7.—March 31 has been chosen as the date for the annual declamatory contest of the Evansville high school. The contestants and their selections will be as follows: Barbara Pearsall: "The Innate of the Dungeon." Beth Baker: "The Death Disc." Ella Townsend: "The Heart of Old Hickory." Helen Green: "The Hero Woman." Ruth Chase: "The Slow Man." Helen Colony: "The Point of Honor." Nellie Irvine: "The Messenger." Robert Hall: "Bryan's Chicago Speech." Cecil Ware: "The Negro." Gun Club Organized.

The latest addition to the many organizations in Evansville is a Gun club. It sprang into existence on Tuesday last week with a membership numbering twenty-five and with Blaine Davis, president; Orville Jones, vice-president; Burr Jones, treasurer; Webster Johnson, secretary; and Roy Nelson, field captain. Arrangements have been made for a practice shoot to be held at the grounds of the club, Thursday, March 9.

**Resigned Position.**

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Evansville Seminary, held last week, Rev. A. L. Whitcomb was elected president for another year, but owing to interests elsewhere has tendered his resignation.

**Quitting Party.**

Mrs. J. P. Porter entertained sixteen friends at a quilling party yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Mary Eberlein. Another event given last evening for Miss Eberlein was a surprise in the form of a miscellaneous shower with Miss Jessie Kelley and Miss Marian Ames as hostesses, who had as their guests the members of the Kensington club.

**Local News.**

A party of railroad officials of the C. & N. W. Ry. company are in the city today doing some additional surveying for a location for the new depot.

C. M. Davis has bought of John Deveraux, the property adjoining the house on Main street, and Keith Shaw and family will move into it about the middle of April.

Mrs. Jennie Hakeley and children will leave soon for Minneapolis to spend two or three weeks visiting her mother and sister. From there they will take their departure for Beha, Oregon, where she goes to take up her residence near her son, Fred Hakeley, who moved from here about two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wall were given a surprise last evening when about fifty of their neighbors came in unannounced to give them a farewell party before they move from their farm home east of town into the house which they recently bought of John Lemel on Third street. A most delightful evening was spent with games and music, after which refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gibbs and daughter, Lillian, of this city were among the guests.

The members of St. John's Guild will hold a missionary social at the home of Mrs. J. M. Evans, Friday afternoon.

Miss Lavonia Gilles is entertaining the Five Hundred club at her home this afternoon.

## EVANSVILLE SEWER CONTRACTS ARE IN

Sealed Proposals for Big Construction Work at Cut-off City Were Opened Yesterday. (Special to the Gazette.)

Evansville, March 8.—At three o'clock yesterday afternoon the time expired for filing sealed proposals for the construction of the sewer system in the city of Evansville and there were about a dozen contractors from various parts of the state to meet the board of public works. The city purposes to lay about four miles and the work comprises approximately 7,500 lineal feet of 18-inch sewer, 5,191 lineal feet of 14-inch sewer, 450 lineal feet of 12-inch sewer, 2,200 lineal feet of 10-inch sewer, 3,200 lineal feet of 8-inch sewer, 42 manholes, 2 septic tanks, inverted siphons.

The bids submitted were as follows: A. C. Schreder, Mantowoc, \$21,301.88; B. J. Hickey, Milwaukee, \$21,768.00; J. H. Hohnsue, Milwaukee, \$23,810.00; W. O. Hall, Mantowoc, \$22,571.28; P. C. Robinson, Mantowoc, \$22,475.20; Sweeney Bros., Reedsburg, \$21,518.61; E. E. Kaminski, Watertown, \$19,907.79; E. R. Harding, Racine, \$19,828.29; N. P. Reibert, Racine, \$19,530.26; J. T. Blake, Madison, \$19,277.25; Robert Nelson, Racine, \$16,458.51.

All of the above named were in the city yesterday except a representative of the Robert Nelson company. The committee have not as yet given out the contract but have the best bids under consideration.

## DR. DWIGHT WRITING OF GOLDEN PROSPECT

Is Interested in Rich Gold Mine Near Merced, California, With Bright Prospects.

In a letter written by Dr. C. G. Dwight, formerly of this city, now making his home in California, dated March 2, he tells of his interest in one of the richest gold mining properties in the vicinity of Merced, where he now makes his home. The assay of ore is very rich and he and his associates have every prospect of having developed a rich deposit. The mine is located in the vicinity of other valuable gold bearing properties in the neighborhood and newspaper clippings enclosed in the letter show it is very well thought of by local mining men.

## DOUGHNUTS WON CONTEST AT ALLEYS LAST EVENING

Cocoanuts Defeated in Two of the Three Games in the "Nuttty League" Series.

The Doughnuts bowling team won last evening's contest at the Hoelck alleys from the Cocoanuts, the latter losing two of the three games. Two hundred and two was the high score of the evening, made by Parker. Tomorrow night the Butterknives will bow against the Hazelnuts. Scores last night:

DOUGHNUTS.		
Geoff. Capt.	132	161
Goldy	145	129
Phelps	122	156
Whitely	160	139
Parker	202	189
Total	761	774

COCOANUTS.		
Hoelck	113	133
Myhr	109	111
Thurmer	169	103
E. Baumann	129	170
A. Gridley, Capt.	131	138
Total	651	655

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

William P. Rowland to Earnest E. Dicks \$2,000, w. g. of n. w. sec. 36, Magdolia.

Charlene Ellington et al. to Michael A. New \$1,000, pt. lot 10-3 Dicks add, Beloit.

Frank P. Martin and wife to Michael A. New \$10,000, lot 17-2 Mechanics add, Beloit.

Thomas Patrick and wife to August Myhr \$1,000, w. g. of s. w. sec. 5-1-13.

Thomas Patrick and wife to John H. Patrick \$1,000, all e. g. of s. w. sec. 14-1-13.

Dora L. Haviland to Willie W. Webermeyer \$1,000, n. g. of n. w. sec. 19-2-13.

Charles Dunn to C. W. Dunn \$500, pt. of n. g. of n. w. of n. w. sec. 9, Fulton.

W. S. Arnold and wife to Sever B. Thibault \$1,000, s. w. of s. w. sec. 14-1-11.

L. E. Ficker and wife to E. Crall \$1,000, w. g. of n. w. sec. 24-3-11.

John A. Paul and wife to Fred Raug \$2,749.22, pt. of sec. 7-1-11.

John E. Meyers and wife to George W. Gower \$1,000, e. g. of lot 16, Dicks & Butler's add, Janesville.

John A. Becker and wife to Frederick J. Holt and Earl T. Brown \$1,000, pt. of s. w. of sec. 19-3-13.

Beloit Home Telephone Company to Wisconsin Tel. Co., 655 ft. of w. g. of lot 16-5-13, Beloit, also all poles, wires, etc., in City of Beloit.

Nancy Walker to Angelina Maynard et al. \$1,000, pt. lot 60 Shopley.

Frank L. Shudon and wife to D. A. Hunkeler, lot lying in s. e. of s. w. sec. 27-1-13.

John A. Paul and wife to Henry W. Diederich \$1,000, n. w. of n. w. sec. 21-1-13.

P. D. Knollans Single to Elizabeth V. Studley \$5,000, pt. sec. 17, 18-1-13.

Elizabeth V. Studley and husband to P. D. Knollans \$8,619.00, pt. sec. 17, 18-1-13.

## GOTHAM HENS FIND RECORDS SMASHED

Birds Belonging to Mr. Trochtermann On Milton Avenue Prove Superiority Over Touted New York Hen.

At least in one thing New York cannot boast of having outdone Janesville. A recent press dispatch from the eastern metropolis announced the fact that a record for egg production had been established there. It stated that a pen of sixty hens in that city had produced a total of 1009 eggs during the month of February. Right here is where a Janesville chicken raises comes to the front with a record for which she will vouch and which not only equals but outdoes the much heralded feat of the New York birds.

Mrs. C. Trochtermann of Milton avenue has a pen of six Wisconsin bred White Wyandottes, which, during the month of February, laid 1100 eggs. This would give a total of 1100 eggs for a flock of sixty such hens. You cannot keep a good thing from being heard from, not even chickens.

## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

### A HEART HISTORY.

The best instruction I ever had in practical writing was by an old editor who used to ring the changes on—"Am I low?"

"Do not aim at the heads of the people. Aim at their hearts. Do not try to be intellectual. Try to be plain and simple and, above all, true. Do not be afraid of sentiment. Get below the veneer. The undercurrent of sentiment rules the world."

I have found it so.

I may forget sometimes, as all writers do, but I find that when I am simple and plain and true I am able to strike twelve.

Just now the greatest book in France is a book written by a poor working girl. It is not only a literary sensation, but tells a "human interest story."

This girl, a foundling of Paris, grew up in great poverty and with little education.

Nothing new in such a life? No. It has its counterpart in the lives of thousands of God's poor everywhere.

How, then, will you account for the great success of the girl's book? It is the "best seller" in France and has put the wolf of poverty far from her door.

She could scarcely spell the simplest words when she began writing the history of her life. It was the true, simple tale of her struggles, temptations, thoughts, hopes, fears and aspirations. It was a transcript of her soul.

And that is why her book made its appeal to the souls of the French people. Soul spoke to soul. The girl aimed low—at the "universal heart." The response was true.

"Truly was right."

He said that all art—writing included—all art is in the sending of a message from the emotions to the emotions.

The girl's book is such a message.

And—

If you who read this could put down accurately the history of your life, especially the history of your emotions, the result would be a great book. The material is in you.

Heart histories are scarce.

When one is printed, however humble the author, the world rushes to buy it.

Most of us conceal our emotions. We are a little bit ashamed of them. Nevertheless deep down within us are the strong undercurrents that sweep us on to destiny.

Do you say heads rule the world? No. Hearts rule heads. Hearts are trumps.

### Pieces Contained in Violin.

A violin contains 61 pieces, made up in the following way: Duck, two pieces; belly, two; coils and blocks, six; sides, five; side linings, 12; bar one; purflings, 24; neck, one; fingerboard, one; nut, one; bridge, one; tailboard, one; button for tailboard, one; string for tailboard, one; guard for string, one; sound post, one; strings, four; pegs, four.

### The Young Idea.

"Ma," said a newspaper man's son, "I know why editors call themselves 'two.' 'Why?' 'So the man that doesn't like the article will think there are too many people for him to tackle.'—Christian Work and Evangelist.

### REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Janesville.

Gentlemen: I hereby submit a statement of the bills allowed and orders drawn by the Board of Education for the month of February.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. BERNHAM, Clerk.

First Nat. Bank, notes 130, 132, 134	811.00
P. D. Knollans, billing order	2.30
E. J. Campbell, repairs	13.20
Rock Co. Telephone Co., Jan. bill	11.75
Smith Premier Typewriter Co., supplies	2.00
Ed. Viner, labor	2.70
Ford & Jones, repairs	5.75
Pinch Lumber Co., lumber	24.43
Harris Chemical Co., supplies	2.25
Wisconsin Tel. Co., Feb. bill	1.50
W. C. Heitsh Co., books	2.00
J. P. Wright, supplies	5.70
Cambridge Packing Co., supplies	12.00
W. E. Clinton & Co., book binding	17.10
New Jan. Light Co., Jan. bill	4.75
Harner & Beers, insurance	105.00
J. A. Sutherland & Sons, supplies	32.04
W. H. Brock, repairs	30.20
Janesville Coal Co., coal	284.02
Gazette Printing Co., supplies	2.15
Janesville Pure Milk Co., milk	4.60
Teachers' Jan. Pay roll	4470.18
Supt. Clerk, Travel office, Jan.	840.00
Hor. Jan. Pay roll	840.00
TOTAL	\$17,205.12

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H. M. CUMMINGS, City Clerk.

## LAKOTAS WILL MEET FRESHMEN SATURDAY

Local Men Will Play Varsity First Year Men At West Side Rink Saturday Night.

Hockey ball fans will note with interest the game, scheduled to take place in the rink next Saturday night between the Lakotas and the freshman team of the university. An exceptionally good game is looked for at this time as the first year lads from Madison are said to be the best that has been turned out in a long time.

The team that will go up against the regular lineup of the Lakota Cardinals will comprise the men, Harper, O'Connell, Johnson, Van Gantz and Carpenter, who have played with the team all year. This aggregation has proved its merit many times during the past season by their work against the Lakota regulars and there is no doubt but what a stiff game will be witnessed next Saturday night.

**Servia No Hunting Ground for Cupid.**

Servia retains many memories of Turkish rule. The women are kept in the harem, and the men marry for the qualities of the housewife rather than for romantic love. It is often that young men marry women much older than themselves.

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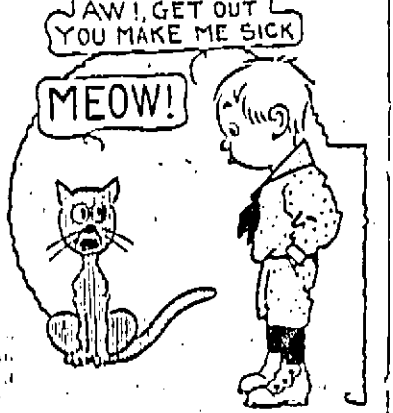
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**Tams Affair.**

"Here is an account of a hotel fire out west."

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"No. It seems that there was no young woman in pink silk pajamas who had to be rescued."

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J. S. FIFIELD.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.**

At the request of my friends I do also to announce my candidacy for the nomination for Alderman in the Second Ward on the Republican ticket at the primaries, March 21, 1911.

JAS. W. SCOTT.

**ALDERMAN 5TH WARD.**

I desire to announce my candidacy for the nomination for Alderman from the Fifth ward on the Democratic ticket, at the primaries March 21, 1911.

J. J. DULIN.

**POLITICAL NOTICE.**

**CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.**

I desire to announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Mayor at the primaries to be held Tuesday, March 21, 1911.

JOHN C. NICHOLS.

**ALDERMAN THIRD WARD.**

**Political Notice.**

I desire to announce my candidacy for the nomination for Alderman from the Third ward on the Republican ticket, at the primaries March 21, 1911.

HARRY SHURTLEFF.

**ROBT. S. CHASE, ARCHITECT.**

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**Chances of the Sailor Man.**

The sea as a calling is certainly not what it once was by a long way. The class of men who did well 40 years ago would make a poor show now. It was common enough in days gone by for owners to look for a suitable man, and then build a ship for him, but it's the other way now.—British Nautical Magazine.

**Revision.**

"Now," said the distinguished representative, "we have arranged the tariff precisely as it should be and all you have to do is to say 'Amen.'"

"No," answered the distinguished senator, "not 'amen,' amend."

**Wisdom from Uncle Eben.**

"Nursin' a grouch," said 'Uncle' Eben, "is like neglectin' de flowers an' vegetabls an' puttin' in yoh time tondin' de weeds."

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## MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF CHURCH TO MEET THURSDAY

Congregational Ladies Will Gather in Church Parlor For Program and Pledge Support.

Members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Congregational church gather in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at half past two o'clock. An enjoyable session has been arranged, the February and March programs having been combined. Pledge supper will be served, the committee in charge being Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Ingerson, and Mrs. Bradley. The program:

How Are Our Missionaries at Work? Zealous Workers—Mrs. Wilson.

Medical Missionary Teacher—Mrs. Tuttle.

"The Cuban People and Their Life"—Mrs. H. A. Jeffers.

Cuba as a Mission Field—Miss Edwards.

"The Woman Behind the Work"—Mrs. T. E. Doremus, Pioneer Philanthropist—Mrs. Ogden.

Isabel Thornburn, Pioneer Teacher—Mrs. Hume.

Charm Swain, Pioneer Medical Missionary—Mrs. Colby.

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# The Honorable Senator Sagebrush

By FRANCIS LYNDE

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With the awakening suspicion came a rapid putting together of two and two. Wherever he went there was always the same pressing hospitality, with many urgings to delay his going. At the same time it became evident in many little ways that he was in reality merely skimming over the surface in his campaign work.

That a hot political fight was going on all around him he could not doubt. The newspapers were full of it, and in many sections of the state the fight had become acrimonious and bitter. But, although he was supposed to be in the fight, it began to be apparent that he was little more than an on-looker when it came to the really vital struggle of the moment.

It was as if everything had been carefully prearranged, like a sort of triumphal procession. None the less the invisible barrier, the barrier which was shutting him out from the inner workings of the campaign, was there, and he could neither surmount it nor push it aside.

Notwithstanding the hard work and the hard traveling he was doing he did not let the missionary effort outweigh the sturdier purpose, which was to hold his principals rigidly up to the mirror of a vigilant watchfulness.

Arguing that the opposition newspapers would be quick to seize upon any charge of corruption involving the railroad company, he read them faithfully. As yet there had been nothing more than spiteful innuendoes and a railing over of past misdeeds, though many of the editors were charging a secret alliance between his father and McVickar and warning their readers to look out for startling developments later on.

Not content with mere watchfulness, however, Blount got his finger upon the pulse of occasions whenever he could. On his brief stopovers in the capital he kept his eyes and ears open for the earliest hint of any change of chemistry, and, though he was unable to get hold of Gentry personally, he kept up a steady fire of letters and telegrams, all pointing to the same end—absolute and utter good faith and the upholding of his hands in the public plea for a square deal.

To these the traffic manager replied guardedly, but optimistically. The management was delighted with the good work done and doing by the new division counsel; public opinion was slowly but surely changing; it would be a landslide election, and Blount could take credit for his due.

In all this Blount did not fail to remark that there was never anything said about the Hathaway bargain, and the omission made him the more watchful. A little investigation unearthed other and smaller bargains made in the past.

For example, there was a practical and very effective irrigation trust, an alliance, offensive and defensive, of the big irrigation companies. Controlling the water under proprietary rights, as most of them did, these companies could influence many votes among the beneficiary farmers. Land deals in the past with the railroad company had been the basis for corruption here, and, with the electric power people, preferential freight rates had been traded for the votes of employees, as with Hathaway.

Some of these special rates were still in force, as the quiet investigation on the ground developed, whereupon Blount's communications to Gentry took on a more emphatic tone. The tariffs must be revised and one of two things must be done—either the preferential of the favored corporations must be withdrawn or the public rates must be leveled down to meet the special.

It was on a second speechmaking visit to Ophi that Blount had his first face to face chance at the traffic manager after the opening of the correspondence battle.

A meeting of the Mine Owners' association, moving for a readjustment of the classification on copper matte and bullion at a time when the railroad company might be supposed to be on the giving hand, took Gentry to the great camp in the Carmichael hills, and the first man he met at the hotel was the new dictator of policies for the Transcontinental company.

"Made a mistake, didn't you, Dick, coming while I was here?" said the reformer, with a very Hollarish reversion of his father's grim smile. "I suppose you've got an immediate engagement to go somewhere or see somebody."

"No! I wish I had," was the hearty admission. "Say, Evan, you are getting to be a perfect nightmare with your letters and telegrams. You've got me so I'm afraid to open my desk. Why don't you let well enough alone? You haven't heard of any skullduggery lately, have you?"

"Nothing new, no. But a housecleaning is supposed to take down all the old cobwebs. Those preferential rates for United Electric and the Strach Land and Improvement."

"Heaven's earth! You call yourself a lawyer, and yet you ask us to set aside promises that are or ought to be binding as so many written contracts, with pen and parchment? It can't be done, Evan—that's all there is to it; it can't be done."

"Can't" goes out of the window when "must" comes in at the door, Dick. I've been digging into the records, and I have evidence enough to turn the people of this state into a mob that

will tear up your trucks if I should publish it."

"But I tell you we can't withdraw the special, you wild-eyed fanatic!"

"All right; then level down the public rate to fit them. And do it quickly, Dick. The time is growing fearfully short, and my patience isn't what it used to be."

"Anybody would think you owned the Transcontinental, lock, stock and barrel! Where under heaven did you get your nerve, Evan? Bless if I don't believe you could outbluff the old—er—your father himself if you once got the food notion into your head that it was your duty to try."

"This time Blount's smile was rather sorrowful, and he shook his head.

"Come and hear me speak tonight if you're staying over that long. Then you'll know why I must have the solid rock of good faith under my feet, Gentry. You spoke of my father just now. I bear the name, too, Dick. Don't you see that I've got to make good?"

It was during this hardworking interval that Blount saw, with keen regret, the gradual widening of the breach between him and his father. That the long arm of the machine of which his father was the acknowledged head was reaching out into all corners of the state there was ample evidence, and that the machine campaign was a thing to be reckoned with and fought against was a cardinal principle with the young reformer.

But it is hard to fight in the dark. The organization was so perfect that its very existence seemed mythical at times—a mere bogey set up to be knocked down by the honest voter at the polls on election day.

Yet Blount knew that it was no myth. Sometimes he fancied that it was the machine which was interposing the invisible barrier beyond which he was not permitted to pass. With that thought came the old doubts and fears that his father and McVickar had conspired together to make him the fence behind which all the trickery of a venal campaign could be safely screened. But while this thought visibly widened the growing breach it made him only more determined to fight to the bitter end. What one man could do to break the down of a new political epoch for his native state should be done.

It was on one of his short stopovers in the capital city that Blount found himself seated opposite his father at a table for two in the Inter-Mountain cafe. The meeting was purely accidental, as most of their meetings had come to be. Inquiring for his father at the desk, Blount had been told that the senator was out of town. But an hour later, when he had taken his seat at the dinner table, the supposed absentee had walked in to take the opposite chair.

For a time their talk was of the doings at Watrous Hall, of the professor's enthusiastic digging for fossils, of Patricia's keen enjoyment of the life in the open and this put with gentle hostility on the part of the news bringer—of Mrs. Hornum's growing love for the young woman whose ambitions reached out toward a "career."

"Working you pretty hard these days, aren't they, son?" was the friendly remark that opened the way for more to follow. "If you belonged to my generation instead of your own you wouldn't be cold shouldering that young woman out at Watrous the way you do—not for all the politics that was ever hatched."

"I have my work to do," said the son gravely, "and Patricia Anders would be the last person in the world to put obstacles in the way of it. I wish I could say as much for other people."

The boss looked up quickly. "Somebody been trying to block you?"

Evan Blount met the gaze of the shrewd gray eyes without flinching.

"I don't know of any good reason why we shouldn't be frank with each other, dad," he said, using for the first time since his return the old boyhood father name. "You know better than any one else, I think, what the stumbling blocks are and who is putting them in my way."

Instantly the faraway look came into the gray eyes.

"I know a heap of things that I can't tell—not just yet, son. Has McVickar been calling you down?"

"No one has called me down, but some one or something is keeping me out of the real fight. There isn't any fight that I can get into. Everywhere I go there is the same old and dried welcome, the same predetermined enthusiasm. Sometimes it seems as if all the people I meet had been instructed to make things pleasant and easy for me."

The senator's chuckle was barely audible.

"I wouldn't find much fault with that if I were you, son," he said. "You'll get enough of the real thing by and by."

Blount felt his anger rising. He was in precisely the right mood to believe that his father, failing to make him a cog in one of the wheels in the machine, had gone about in some mysterious way to insulate him, to make it impossible for him to get into the real life of affairs. But he kept his temper.

"It's no use," he said, with a tinge of abruptness in his tone. "We are diametrically opposed to each other, you and I, dad. I stand for democracy, the will of the people and its fullest and freest expression. You stand for—"

"Well, son, what do I stand for?" queried the father, and the question was accompanied by the quizzical smile that brought the hot blood boyishly to Blount's cheek.

"If I should say what all men say—what some of them are frank enough to say even to me"—He stopped short and then went on again with better self control:

"Let's keep the peace if we can, dad. I'm sorry that you are finding it necessary to fight me and a thousand

thousand sorrier that I've got to fight you. But I'll tell you here and now that I'll never quit this state—this native state of mine—until it has had at least one decently clean election. I have told Gentry to pass the word that I shall show the railroad up if it doesn't play fair, and I've got to hand the same thing out to you, dad. I don't want to threaten, but it is only fair to say that I haven't been going about with my eyes shut. Whether you have authorized it or not, there is a lot of crooked work going on, and if I am driven to it I can print some things that would change the political map of this state so it won't be recognizable."

For some little time after his son had left the cafe the Hon. Senator Sagebrush sat absently toying with his desertertop. When he rose to go out the battle light in the three gray eyes was the signal which not even his most faithful henchmen could always interpret, but which most men feared.

## CHAPTER XIV.

### THE DYNAMITE.

IT was about the time that Evan Blount was finishing his fourth week of the campaign of education that the senator's wife began to detect signs of country weariness in the eyes of Miss Patricia Anders. During the last week or two some impulse which she did not take the trouble to analyze seemed to be drawing the girl toward the city. The roads around Watrous were just as good as ever, and the free pleasures of motoring in a country where speed restrictions were conspicuous by their absence were just as keen. But now Patricia confessed freely to a longing for the sight of city streets.

"Only you mustn't consider us or me so much as you do, Mrs. Blount," she protested. "I have a dreadful suspicion that we have already interfered shamefully with your autumn plans. You are merely too kind and hospitable to admit it."

"You have interfered with nothing," was the ready assurance. "No inducement that was ever devised would take the senator away from his own state during a political campaign, and your coming has been a blessing. But for the good excuse to bring your father out here to the fossil beds you should have been moved up in the Inter-Mountain hotel from the firing of the opening gun to the day after election. But that is neither here nor there. You are tired of the country, shall I telephone the senator that we are going in this afternoon to stay awhile?"

"I shall be delighted," said Patricia, and the eyes which were so apt to tell tales confirmed it. Then she added, "Now that father has his box of books from the university library he will never miss it."

On their first day in the capital Evan was away, but he returned the following morning, and Mrs. Blount captured him for a theater box party.

It proved to be a rather more formidable affair than Evan had anticipated. There was a sufficient number of guests to fill two of the open dress circle boxes. Gentry was of the number, and so were the Weatherfords—father, mother, daughters and son.

Blount had been counting upon a measurably undisturbed evening with Patricia, but fate or a designing hostess intervened, and he found himself cornered between Mrs. Weatherford and her younger daughter, with the square shouldered reform candidate for governor strengthening the barrier which separated him from Patricia.

Blount had met Gordon socially a number of times, and in the intervals allowed him by Mrs. Weatherford he was silently studying the face of the big man, who, if the gods should so direct, might be the leader and chief political figure in the state for the succeeding two years.

It was a good face and, in Blount's estimate, an exceedingly strong one. Almost unconsciously he felt to contrasting it with that of Reynolds, the candidate for whom the corporation interests were working.

Though Blount himself was on the corporation side, he could not help admitting that the comparison was not favorable to Reynolds. He said to himself that Reynolds' face was the face of a timeserver.

Weighing the two men one against the other—Reynolds was sitting in an adjacent box with a party of railroad officials—Blount was conscious of a twinge of regret that chance or his convictions had made him a partisan of the weaker man.

Throughout the play and the intermissions the Weatherfords—mother and daughter—kept him from exchanging so much as a word with Miss Anders, whom Gentry was shamelessly monopolizing. But on the short return walk to the hotel after the play Blount resolutely pushed his friend aside and gave Patricia his arm.

"I think you owe me a very abject apology," was the way she began on him when they had such privacy as the crowded sidewalks conferred.

"Consider them made and then tell me what for," he countered.

"Consider a moment. You come to me with a really harrowing story of your new experiences, and just as I am beginning to get interested there is an interruption, and in the morning, at some perfectly impossible hour, off you go, and we hear no more of you for weeks and weeks. What have you been doing?"

"I have been doing precisely what you told me to do—preaching the gospel of honesty and fair dealing and trying my level best to make other people practice it."

"You have been successful?" she asked quickly.

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## NEW NEWS OF YESTERDAY

### Private Fortune That Saved the Union Pacific.

John Duff of Boston Sent His Securities to New York Just in Time to Meet Payment on Land Grant Bonds.

BY E. J. EDWARDS.

One of the great causes of the financial panic of 1873 was the failure of the banking house of Jay Cooke & Co., through having advanced too largely on the bonds of the Northern Pacific railroad, then in process of construction. Drive embarrasment was caused to many other railroad companies by the panic, and not the least embarrassed of these railroads was the Union Pacific, which, at that time, was regarded in the railroad and financial worlds as a Boston institution, since it was one of the great railroad properties of the country which Boston capital controlled.

From about 1866 John Duff of Boston, who easily took rank with the great financiers who began immediately after the Civil war the work of developing the railroad systems of the country, had been prominently identified with the Union Pacific. His was, in fact, a leading voice in the affairs of the company, and when it became evident, first to the officers of the company, and then to the public, that the Union Pacific was not in a position to meet the next payments on its land grant bonds, Mr. Duff was greatly concerned. He had been so closely identified for seven years with the financial management of the company that he felt that his business credit, his personal honor, and, to some extent, his investments, were involved in maintaining the credit of the Union Pacific.

But how was that credit to be maintained, with money in hiding everywhere, and with the Union Pacific treasury without the necessary funds to meet the payments soon due?

Not taken into account by the folk who were confidently predicting a default by the Union Pacific was the grim determination of John Duff to protect his good name at all hazards; and so, the day before the coupons of the land grant bonds were due, Mr. Duff called into his office his son-in-law, Dr. William H. Bullard, and counted out in the latter's presence a little over three hundred thousand dollars in first class securities, which, but a short time before, Mr. Duff himself had taken from his private strong box.

"William," said Mr. Duff, motioning to the securities, "I want you to pack these bonds in a traveling satchel, take the first train for New York, and as early as possible tomorrow morning call at the office of Morton, Bliss & Co., the railroad's fiscal agents, and offer them in my name as security for payment of the Union Pacific land grant coupons due tomorrow." There followed some detailed instructions, and Dr. Bullard was off for New York.

Presenting himself at the banking house of Morton, Bliss & Co. on the morning, a short while before the beginning of the business day, Dr. Bullard opened his satchel in the presence of Mr. Levi P. Morton.

"Mr. Morton," he said, "I have here a little over three hundred thousand dollars in securities of the very highest grade. They are to be deposited with you as collateral security. I have brought them from John Duff, in Boston, and with this collateral as security, Mr. Duff asks you to pay the Union Pacific land grant coupons due today and to keep on paying them until he sends you word to stop."

As Mr. Morgan began his examination of the securities, Dr. Bullard happened to look from the banker's private office into the main office of the banking house. It was swarming with clerks armed with coupons of the land grant bonds due within less than a quarter of an hour.

Carefully, cautiously, Mr. Morton looked over the securities. Finally, as he laid down the last one, he nodded his head approvingly, the next moment was issuing instructions that the coupons should be paid until further orders, and within less than five minutes the first clerk to offer a Union Pacific coupon received his money, to the great astonishment not only of himself, but also of the other clerks there assembled, and, apodictically, after, of all Wall street. For good financial news travels as fast as bad, and within an hour Union Pacific stock, which had been quoted as low as ten cents on the dollar, jumped to twenty-five, and John Duff's son-in-law had his first lesson in the effect of credit upon a railroad property.

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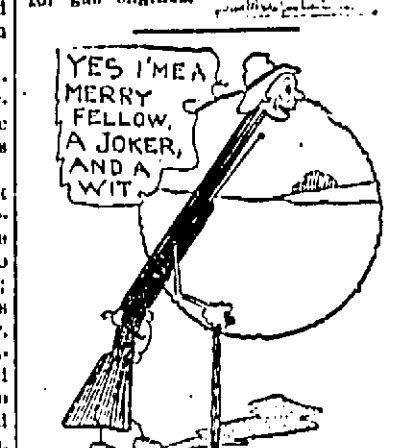
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